

Elba, Alabama

Thursday, December 24, 2020

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# The 2020 Elba Christmas Family

Bradley and Sally Bane and their children Powell, age 10 ~ Jacks, age 8 ~ Bella, age 5

along with additional family members ~ Tucker, the dog; and Ruby, the baby doll

#### **EDITORIAL**

#### **BRAINSTORMS**

With Ferrin Cox

"My idea of Christmas, whether old-fashioned or modern, is very simple: loving others. Come to think of it, why do we have to wait for Christmas to do that?" - Bob Hope

The folks at the Elba post office were busy this week wishing everyone a Merry Christmas as they handed out packages left and right!

Medical experts at UAB on the front lines of the battle against COVID-19 stress that Alabama residents "are not out of the woods yet, but there is light at the end of the tunnel." They are still strongly recommending that residents continue mask-wearing, hand washing, social distancing and a 'stay home if you are sick' policy and of course take the vaccine shot when it becomes

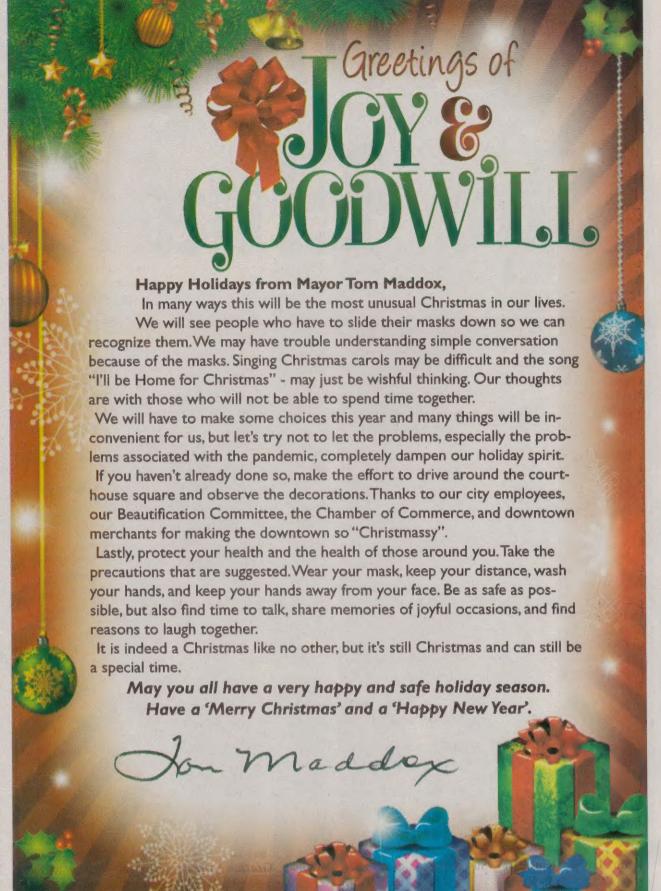
Both President-elect Joe Biden and Alabama Governor Kay Ivey . . . Oh and also Vice President Mike Pence went before the TV cameras this week to take their first of two COVID-19 shots. Other prominent people, both politicians and medical experts have also stepped up to the plate and showed their confidence in the new virus protection by taking this shot. We will do the same, except it will not be worthy of a TV production.

A couple of months ago we received an unexpected small package from California. It turned out that former Dorsey Trailer dealer Roger Simon was clearing out his bookcase (per his wife's 'suggestion') and correctly decided we would enjoy a whole book of famous quotes by military leaders from throughout history. There are some great quotes in that book. We don't know how someone collected that many tidbits of history from hundreds of years of military leaders talking and/or writing. Now if any of our other friends are thinking about retiring, note that Roger retired, probably with ideas of doing whatever he wanted to, whenever the whim struck him - but his wife put him to work around the house with "honey-do" jobs. We wish him peace and quiet in the rest of his retirement.

Recently a grocery store incident brought home a reality. When checking out with our three or four items, there was a bottle of Tabasco and a bottle of Tums. The young man at the cash register - with a twinkle in his eye said, "Sir, those two items don't go together." Our quick answer was that our love for the Tabasco made the Tums a necessity. Thinking about it later we pondered that need. As a young man our stomach could take anything (or any amount), and it would not impact our day nor our night's sleep. Maybe that caused the lining of our stomach to 'rust out', thus requiring the Tums more often than it is wise to admit.

Elsewhere in this edition of The Elba Clipper is a story on Elba native Keith Maddox. A graduate of Elba High School, married to an Elba girl (Susie Brunson), he worked his way up the ladder and clearly "done good" for himself in a tough profession.Oh, his first job was stuffing sausage at Kelley Foods as a HS student.

We wish you a very safe and Merry Christmas!



Cuzin Lou Lou's "Tales from Yonder" can be found on Page 10A!

#### LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor, Ivey's recent extension of gather indoors. the statewide Mask Order. We also encourage resi- our ICU units are filling dents of Jefferson County to capacity. We are havand all across Alabama to ing to convert hospital continue their vigilance units to COVID units and in taking every precaution divert resources to care hospitals need the public's possible to minimize the for COVID patients who help in stopping the spread

spread of COVID. surge during the sum- our hospital beds, our abil- has truly become the front mer months stressed our ity to care for those with lines in the fight against healthcare system, but the other healthcare needs is this pandemic. We know a drastic increase in con- compromised. firmed COVID cases, hosover the last few weeks but we are experiencing is significantly more con-staffing challenges as cerning. Currently, more well. Across the communi-

desperately need care. As of COVID, Now more The initial COVID more COVID patients fill

Not only are we facpitalizations, and deaths ing spacing challenges, than 600 COVID patients ty, almost 500 of our own are being cared for in area hospital staff members hospitals, which is a 50% are unable to work due to most in need. These things increase over the maxi- COVID related-issues. The are easy to do and help mum number of patients staff who are able to work curb the spread of illness, we saw over the summer. are facing longer hours while allowing us to keep And, the numbers continue with an increased workto rise. We are just starting load. Caregivers are tired to see the effects of the and overstressed. Trying to Thanksgiving holiday and balance staffing shortages

are concerned about the alongside space constraints Birmingham area hos- coming holidays, where is becoming increasingly pitals applaud Governor people are more likely to problematic and detrimental to our ability to care for Across the community, all of the many additional medical needs and condi-

tions in our community.

Given the high level of

community spread, our than ever, the community lot has been asked of you thus far, but we desperately need your help. We know that masking, social distancing, and hand washing will help us ensure that we have the resources to care for the patients who are vital businesses operating and our economy strong.

But even more is needed at this moment to reduce community spread.

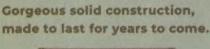
We urge you to reconsider large family holiday gatherings during this time. Please consider avoiding travel and not mixing households. Even small gatherings of more than one household have proven deadly. Grab takeout to support a local business and eat at home with your immediate family. Set up virtual group gatherings to celebrate this holiday season so we can gather with all of our loved ones next year and not potentially lose them now to this virus. You can help us better care for our community. We implore you to help us in this fight. Birmingham Area Hospitals





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## City of Elba Holiday Schedule **Upcoming Meetings**

THE CITY OF ELBA OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED Thursday, Dec. 24, and Friday, Dec. 25, in observance of Christmas. Stand-by crews will be on call to assist customers with any utility emergencies. For utility emergencies during this time, call the Elba Police Department at (334) 897-2555. The garbage truck will run its normal schedule.

THE CITY OF ELBA OFFICES WILL BE CLOSED Friday, Jan. 1, 2021, in observance of New Year's Day. Standby crews will be on call to assist with any utility emergencies. For utility emergencies during this time, call the Elba Police Department at (334) 897-2555. The garbage truck will run its normal schedule.

THE EVERGREEN CEMETERY BOARD will hold its regularly scheduled meeting on Thursday, January 7 2020 at 6:00 p.m., Elba City Hall.

#### Elba Police Report

reported on Jackson Ave

p.m.); Suspicious vehicle

reported at 312 N Claxton

activity reported on Ann

St (2:00 a.m.); Livestock

verbal warning.

verbal warnings.

The Elba Police Depart- Prowler reported in area ment, between Tuesday, of Guyton St (6:51 a.m.); Dec. 15, 2020, and Mon- Animal complaint reportducted the following activ- a.m.); Animal complaint

Tuesday, Dec. 15 - - animal impounded (8:53 Reckless driver reported a.m.); Burglary reported on at 595 Collier Circle (2:07 Simmons St (9:15 a.m.); a.m.); Traffic accident Burglary reported on Smith reported at 1883 Hickman Ave (10:07 a.m.); Traffic Ave (5:37 a.m.); Livestock accident reported at 2687 in the roadway reported Hwy 84 (10:08 a.m.); on Hwy 84 (8:03 a.m.); Animal complaint reported at 212 County Rd 263 Animal complaint report-(8:29 a.m.); Criminal mis- ed at 212 County Rd 263 Johnson officiating. Burial years. chief reported at 344 Old (12:53 p.m.); Domestic Samson Rd (10:55 a.m.); complaint reported at 1625 Criminal mischief reported Parker St (6:16 p.m.); at 801 Putnam St (12:17 Reckless driver reported p.m.); Domestic complaint in area of Hwy 203 and reported at 720 Reese Flournoy Dr - driver locat-(6:44 p.m.). There were reported at 804 Simmons Elba, AL 36323.

area (12:11 a.m.); Reck- reported at 204 Taylor Ave daughters: Shelby Weeks less driver reported in (6:43 p.m.); Drug activity and Molly Weeks, both of located and given a ver- traffic stops on this date Weeks, all of Elba; and his the Wise family. bal warning (5:22 a.m.); with three verbal warnings, brother: Dwight (Lanette) Assault reported at 1157 one written warning, and Weeks, Geneva, Ala. Morrow Ave (9:08 a.m.); one no action taken. Theft of property reported at 1282 Ann St (9:57 a.m.); Criminal mischief reported at 632 N Claxton Ave (7:35 at 1157 Morrow Ave (3:52 p.m.); Animal complaint reported at 509 N Claxton Ave (9:23 p.m.). There Ave (4:28 p.m.); Prowler were two traffic stops on Dec. 16, 2020, reported in area of Jones this date with one written at Jackson Circle (7:31 p.m.); Suspi- warning issued and one Hospital in cious vehicle reported at 1521 County Rd 249 (9:27 p.m.); Suspicious person reported at 2695 Hwy 166 (10:17 p.m.). There were reported in roadway on seven traffic stops report- Hwy 87 N (6:53 a.m.); ed on this date with four Traffic accident reported citations issued, two writ- at Country Rd 239 (6:57 ten warnings, and one no a.m.); Shoplifter reported at followed under the direcaction taken.

Thursday, Dec. 17 -Burglary reported at 274 Fire reported at 1561 E N Claxton Ave (8:39 a.m.); Davis St - FD dispatched Burglary reported at 1105 (10:43 p.m.). There were Fund in memory of Ginger. Guyton St (12:32 p.m.); five traffic stops on this Animal complaint reported date with three written death by her father, Dwight on Thomas St (1:46 p.m.); warnings issued and two Green. Animal complaint reported on Brunson Circle (3:54 p.m.); Traffic accident reported on Reese Ave (5:35 p.m.). There were six traffic stops reported on this date with four citations issued, and two verbal warnings.

Friday, Dec. 18 -1 OUT OF 10 **ELDERLY PERSONS AND ADULTS** WITH DISABILITIES ARE BEING: Abused, Neglected or Exploited

If you suspect this is happening to someone you know, please report it to Adult Protective Services by contacting your local DHR office or calling the ADULT ABUSE HOTLINE at 1-800-458-7214







ALICE INEZ BENTON Mrs. Alice Inez Benton, Leon, Fla.; and her broth- HUGULEY age 93, of Plant City, Fla., er: Ronny (Vickie) Green, born on December 6, 1926 Montgomery. in Elba, Ala., died Friday, December 4, 2020.

She was preceded in WISE death by John Benton.

daughters: Elizabeth Tuesday, Dec. 15, 2020, in Compher of Ala., Jan Norris, Plant City, and Susan Benton of Ala.; 17 grandchildren; 14 greatgrandchildren; siblings: Gene Batchelor (Connie), Roland Batchelor, Annette Moore, Paul Batchelor (Sandy), and Braxton raised in Elba, Ala., by direction of Hayes Funeral Funeral Home of Enterprise Batchelor (Kathleen).

Expressions of condolence may be expressed at www.HopewellFuneral.

#### **DIKES EUGENE** WEEKS



services followed in the directing. The family asked James Joseph Wise Jr. that memorial contributions be made to the First sons: Joseph "Collins" Wise the Haw Hill

Burglary reported at 804 (Tasha) Weeks, Elba; Reid Harrison Wise. Wednesday, Dec. 16 Simmons St - an arrest grandsons: Chandler - Report of shot fired in was made (10:14 a.m.); Weeks, Elba, and David

#### Sunday, Dec. 20 -**GINGER LYNN** Suspicious person reported DONALDSON

Donaldson, age 51, of Montgomery, Ala., died Wednesday,

Montgomery, Monday, Dec. 21 - Drug Ala. Graveside

services were held Dec. 19, 2020 from the Hebron Baptist Church Cemetery with Rev. Ron Davis officiating. Burial Traffic accident reported Home of Elba. The fam- and cousins. on Reese Ave (4:44 p.m.); ily asked that memorials may be made to the Hebron Baptist Church Cemetery

She was preceded in

Survivors include her mother: Vivian Green, Montgomery; daughter: Leah Kristen Taylor, Montgomery; grand-daughters: Natalynn Taylor, and Allie Grace Bunt, both of Jack, Ala.; grandson: Colton

#### Donaldson, Ponce De SHERI COOK

HERBERT DOUGLAS

Mr. Herbert Douglas Survivors include her Wise, age 73, died Birmingham,

Ala.



Herb

his parents, the late James Home of Elba. Auburn University.

wife, Sandra Hensley Cook Dixon. Wise, of 34 years, on June Southeast moved to Mountain Brook, Montgomery. Health in Ala. where they raised their Dothan, Ala. two sons, and he pursued TOMMY MACK Funeral his career in real estate. He JOHNSON services were held Dec. also served in the National 18, 2020 from the Chapel Guard and was involved Johnson, age 56, a resident Animal complaint report- ed on Lee St (11:07 a.m.); of Hayes Funeral Home with many community ser- of Jack, Ala., died Thursday, in Elba with Rev. Dwight vice organizations over the Dec. 17,

In addition to his parents residence. Evergreen Cemetery with and wife, Herb was preced-Hayes Funeral Home ed in death by his brother, services were

Survivors include his 2020 from

Due to COVID-19, a He was preceded in ily at a future date. John Mack Arthur Johnson. Ridout's Funeral Parlors, area of Flournoy Dr and reported at 19810 Hwy 87 Ozark, Graycee Weeks, 2116 University Blvd., sons: Charlie Johnson, Hwy 203 - this driver was (7:52 p.m.). There were five Morgan Weeks, and Piper Birmingham, AL is serving Phenix City, Ala., Thomas

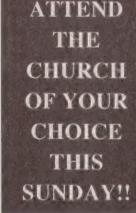
#### SWARTZ JR.

Mr. John Nelson Swartz Ms. Ginger Lynn Jr., age 65, of Georgia, died Monday, Dec. 14, 2020. John was born April 13, 1955 in Maryland.

A graveside service was held Dec. 18, 2020 at Pleasant Ridge Baptist Church Cemetery with Reverend Corbin Griffin officiating and Sorrells Funeral Home directing. He was preceded in

death by his father, John Nelson Swartz Sr. Survivors include his

mother: Alice Nolin 839 Troy Hwy (4:36 p.m.); tion of Hayes Funeral Swartz; many aunts, uncles



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Huguley, age 64, a resident of Montgomery, Ala., died



Center East in Graveside services were was born held Dec. 21, 2020 at the September Evergreen Cemetery, Elba, 20, 1947, in Ala., with Rev. Derek Enterprise, Snellgrove officiating. Ala. He was Burial followed under the

Joseph and Mary Alice Sheri was preceded ily. Wise. He graduated from in death by her parents, Elba High School and Rachel and Mace Cook, his wife: Patricia Ann along with two sisters, Herb married his late Cindy Sue Cook and Karen Lynn Moore, Elba, Sherry

Survivors include a Mr. Dikes Eugene 26, 1971. They moved to niece: Rachel Wickman, Fla., Jackie Mack, Kinston, day, Dec. 21, 2020, con- ed on Hwy 87 N (8:50 Weeks, age 67, of Elba, Greenville, Ala., and he Alabaster, Ala.; her cousin: Ala., Chloe Enfinger, Ala., died began his career in bank- Jimmy (Daphne) Cook, Wednesday, ing. He was president of Elba; along with two spe-Dec. 16, the Greenville Bank for cial friends: Joy Smith and 2020, at many years. In 1984, they Dennis Pierson, both of

Mr. Tommy Mack 2020, at his

Graveside held Dec. 22,

Ave (5:54 p.m.); Burglary ed and given a verbal warn- Assembly of God Church, (Allison), Birmingham, Assembly of God Church reported at 706 Putnam St ing (7:39 p.m.); Burglary 1320 Highland Drive, and James Penland Wise Cemetery with Hayes (Elizabeth), Gulfport, Funeral Home directing. four traffic stops reported St (9:58 p.m.). There were Survivors include Miss.; five grandchil- The family requested that on this date with one cita- two traffic stops on this his wife: Kathy Weeks, dren: Alice Hensley anyone wishing to make tion issued, one written date with one verbal warn- Elba; sons: Ashley Bryan Wise, Joseph Collins Wise memorial contributions, warning issued, one verbal ing and one no action taken. (Monica) Weeks, Ozark, Jr., James "Clark" Wise, to please do so to Hayes warning, and one no action Saturday, Dec. 19 - Ala., and David Blake William Rainer Wise, and Funeral Home to help with burial expenses.

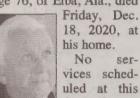
memorial service will be death by his parents, Irma Martin Luther King Dr Suspicious circumstances Weeks, Ozark; grand- held for immediate fam- Nell Napper Johnson and Survivors include her

Swain, Alexander City,

Ala.; brother: Ronnie Johnson, Columbus, Ga.; Mrs. Sheri Cook along with those he affectionately called "Cousin"-Steven Burke, Jack, Ala., Friday, Dec. Josh Burke, Elba, Ala., and 18, 2020, Sarah Burke of Jack, Ala.

#### Medical RUEBEN SIMMONS

Mr. Reuben Simmons, Montgomery. age 76, of Elba, Ala., died Friday, Dec.



his home. No services scheduled at this time. Searcy

assisted the Simmons fam-

Survivors include Simmons, Elba; daughters: Slagle, Montgomery, Ala., Heather Poole, Live Oak, Skipperville, Ala., Pricilla Prettyman, Elba; sons: James Simmons, Calera, Ala., Travis Simmons, and Timothy Simmons, both of Elba; 16 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

#### County's residential garbage service to run normal schedule during holidays

Coffee County Environmental Services has announced that all residential garbage collection services for the county would "run as normal" over the Christmas and New Year's holidays. The county's garbage trucks will run the regular Monday -Thursday routes.



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You've probably heard about National Wreaths Across America Day, a day of honor and remembrance for veterans during the holiday eason. But here are some things you may not know about the event Wreaths Across America was started in 1992 by Morrill Worcester the owner of Worcester Wreath Company. That year the Worcester Wreath Company found themselves with a surplus of wreaths following the holiday season. Mr. Worcester was unsure of what to do with these wreaths, but he did not want them to go to waste. He decided to donate the wreaths to Arlington National Cemetery to be placed in the older sections of the cemetery that had been receiving fewer visitors.

Other organizations stepped in to help with the effort and the wreaths were transported all the way to Virginia, decorated with red, hand-tied bows and laid on the veteran's graves.

It wasn't until 7 years later that the annual tribute gained national ttention. Until then, it had been a quiet affair. But in 2005 a photo of the headstones, each with its own wreath, circulated on the internet. housands of people started calling, wanting to know how they could nelp or wishing to do the same thing at other National and State

In 2007, Wreaths Across America was formed to continue the ervice. Today, the movement has grown considerably with more and more cemeteries taking place every year. If you are interested you can lay your own wreath on your family veterans graves. Or you can look up events in your area. While Wreaths Across America Day was started to honor veterans

can be a way to cope with your loss during the holiday season.

If you would like to get involved with Wreaths Across America, visit If you would like a free funeral decisions guide, please email me at hayesfh@hayesfuneralhome.net 431 East Davis Elba, Alabama 36323 (334) 897-2225

aying a wreath or holiday decoration at the cemetery for any loved one

#### **CHURCH NEWS**

**Elba United Methodist Church** will hold **Christmas Eve** Communion Thursday, Dec. 24, from 4:00 until 5:30 p.m. at the church.



Dr. John Granger recently reached the 20 year milestone as Director of Missions for Coffee County Baptist Association. The people of the churches helped him celebrate that anniversary by writing notes and cards. They also presented him with a plaque and a check. Coffee County Baptist Association thanks Dr. Granger for his 20 years of faithful service and leadership. Pictured above from left to right: Rev. Bryan Simoneaux, Moderator; Dr. John Granger, Director of Missions; and Dr. Sam Self, Chair of the Personnel Committee.

#### **PASTOR'S CORNER**

by Philip Box, Minister Elba Church of Christ, 715 Troy Road, Elba

Do not be afraid: for behold, I bring you good news of great joy which will be for all people; for today in the city of David there has been born for you a Savior, who is Christ the Lord. Luke 2:10-11

I love that Christmas comes at the end of the year. Whether it has been a great year or maybe a hard year, it gives us a chance to stop and remember what is really

This year, for many, has been difficult. So many people that I talk to say, "I can't wait for 2021." I understand that, but the truth is that January 1 is not a reset button. COVID will still be here. The economy won't change overnight. We will still have politics.

That sounds tough, but there is hope. January 1 is not a reset button but there is one. Our reset button is Jesus and that is why we celebrate Christmas. Jesus came into the world to live and then to die for our sins so that we could have a fresh start. And the best part is that it is free!

If you are struggling with 2020 and ready to get it over, don't depend on Jan 1 to be your reset. Depend on The greatest gift ever given... Jesus. He said, "Come to Me all who are weary and heavy laden and I will give you rest." This Christmas, rest in Him and His forgiveness. Faithfully obey his plan and restart the new year with a true new new

#### Church News is due Mondays before 5 pm

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#### Newbia Baptist Church to hold 6 p.m. Christmas Eve service

Newbia Baptist Church, p.m., host a Christmas Eve located at 3819 County service at 6 p.m., including Road 330, Elba, Ala., will a candlelight service. on Thursday, Dec. 24, at 6 All are welcome



from the portico of Elba United Methodist Church during a drive-through event. Parents were able to drive their children up to where Santa was seated and he visited with the youngsters in a social-distanced manner. Santa also had gifts for the youngsters. Pictured above with Santa is one of his favorite elves [aka Merrill Curran].

#### Round and About With Eria's Daughter 897-3611



Confidence is Final Salvation [Psalm 17: 1-15] ting herself as she does.

Thinking of You! Praying for You.

Gilford Family

December Birthdays / **Anniversaries** 

Denzell Thomas 12/12 Danny Cole 12/12 Charlie T. Jordan Sr. 12/14 Henry Terry 12/14 Mamie Billips 12/14 (in

Alice Folmar 12/15 (in memory) Ruth Mack 12/17 Shawanna Wright 12/17 Leslie Starks 12/18 Allison Cole 12/18

Thomas/Eula Brooks 12/19 W.A. John/Christina Nelson 12/19 W.A. Ben/Cynethia

The Significance of Mary's Motherhood

12/20 W.A.

Mary surrenders her whole being to God's will. The promise, the conception, the nine months waiting, and the birth - but it is more than even all that. Mary knows that the one born of her is the promised Messiah. He is hers and He is God's. The miracle of the virgin birth is a part of the divine framework of God's redemption of sinful man. Each new aspect of life with Jesus and Joseph will bring more occasions for pondering the meaning of it all (cf. Luke 2:25-33, 41-52, etc).

God does not reveal His entire plan to Mary all at once. She must have faith and whatever plan God has in mind, He is the One who is in charge, and He is the One who will bring that plan to fruition. Mary's mother of the Son of God never falters from the manger to the cross. There are

Scripture: Prayer with times she is tested, but we see no regrets for submit-Mary's mission does not

end with the resurrection of Christ, nor should ours. Juanita B. Brooks, Mary The last mention of Mary Janelle Kelley, Maria K. is the time when she is Duncan, Curtis O'Kelley, gathered in the upper room Isaiah Franklin Jr., Jamie with other believers after Brockton, Mary Sue the ascension of Christ. Dawson, Shirley Coleman, The group is praying with Mike Rowe, Xavier Dean the apostles and anticipating what will be next (cf Acts 1:14). Mary typifies the noble qualities of both motherhood and servanthood; thus, we too say, "Blessed art thou among

> Merry Christmas, Everyone!

**Question / Answer Section** For the Week of 12/17/20 Q: Jesus used an illustration about a man who built a tower and did not count

A: True. [Luke 14: 28] Q: Gabriel told Mary that Elizabeth was going to have a child also. A: True. [Luke 1: 36]

Q: Zaccheus pledged to give to the poor half of his goods

A: True. [Luke 19: 8]

Saying That Makes Sense If I am not satisfied with what I have. I will never be satisfied with what I want.

Questions for the Week of **Multiple Choice** 

Q: Who visited Elizabeth during her pregnancy? (Joseph), (Mary), (Sarah) Q: Mary predicted that all generations would call her what? (lucky), (cursed), (blessed)

Q: What did John the Baptist call the Pharisees and Sadducees? (Pagans), (Friends), (Vipers)

Today is a good day! Be grateful. Eria's Daughter, Sue



WAS LIFE AND THE WAS THE

MEN ABOUNDING GRACE Rockey Pearce, Pastor Even. Service . . . . 5:00 p.m

ABUNDANT LIFE CHURCH SAMSON, Ala. Richard Thorn Sr., Pastor Morn. Worship. . . 10:30 a.m. Wed. Night Service .7:00 p.m.

ALBERTON BAPTIST Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Even. Worship . . . 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

Sam Self, Pastor Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Meet. . 6:30 p.m. BETHEL AME CHURCH Deborah A. Butler, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.

Wed Bible Study . . . 6:00 p.m. BETHLEHEM BAPTIST Wed. Bible Study . . 6:30 p.m. CHURCH
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn, Worship . . . 11:30 a.m.
Wed. Bible Class . . 6:30 p.m.

BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH Greg Cotter, Pastor Sunday School .... 9:00 a.m. Morn. Worship ... 10:00 a.m. Disciple Train .... 5:30 p.m.

Even Worship . . . . 6:30 p.m. BLUFF SPRINGS BAPTIST CHURCH Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.

BROOKLYN BAPTIST Robert Davis, Pastor

CHESTNUT GROVE Remonia Smith, Pastor Church Service . . . . 9:00 Sunday School . . . , 9:00 a.m. 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays Sunday School . . . . 10:00 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sundays

CORNERSTONE BIBLE Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Sunday Worship . . 11:00 a.m. Wed. Night. . . . . . 7:00 p.m.

ELBA ZION BAPTIST Lovell Martin, Pastor Sunday School . . . . 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Even. Service . . . . 6:00 p.m.

COVENANT COMMUNITY CHURCH
Diana White, Pastor
Bible Study ... 9:00 a.m.
Fellowship ... 9:45 a.m.
Worship ... 10:00 a.m.

and Children's Activities) .

.....6:00 p.m. Steve Watson, Pastor Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.

DORCAS BAPTIST Dale Morgan, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Discipleship Training 5:00

Even. Worship . . . 6:00 p.m. Wed Prayer Meet . . 7:00 p.m. CHURCH Mark Ward, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:30 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Wed. Bible Study . . 6:15 p.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF CHRIST Phillip Box, Minister
Bible Study . . . . . 9:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF GOD David Noble, Pastor Morn. Worship . . . 10:45 a.m. Even. Worship. . . . 5:00 p.m. OF PROPHECY

H.L. Buckner, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. ELBA DELIVERANCE

Allen Richards, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. ELBA 1st ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Dwight Johnson, Pastor Sunday School . . . 9:30 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 10:30 a.m. Even. Service . . . . 6:00 p.m. Wed. Service . . . . 6:30 p.m. ELBA FIRST BAPTIST

Tom Anderson, Int. Pastor Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m. Wed. Service . . . . 6:30 p.m. METHODIST CHURCH Steve Reneau, Pastor Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . 10:00 a.m. Even. Services . . . 6:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study . . 6:00 p.m.

OF GOD

TEMPLE INO ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST Timothy Williams, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:30 a.m.

FAIRVIEW BAPTIST Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Meet 7:30 p.m.

Phillip Adcock, Pastor Sunday Morning . . 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening . . . 5:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

KINSTON Danny Bradshaw, Pastor Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . 11:00 a.m. Wed. Bible Study . . 7:00 p.m. FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST

Scott Donaldson, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Even. Worship . . . 5:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service 6:30 p.m FRIENDSHIP HOLINESS

CHURCH Edward E. Drake, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Mora. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening . . . 5:00 p.m. EVANGELISTIC CHURCH

Overseers - Billy Berry Sat. Service . . . . 6:00 p.m. Sun. Service . . . . 10:00 a.m. Even. Service . . . . 4:00 p.m. GRACE FELLOWSHIP John Curtis Isaacs, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Even. Service . . . . 6:00 p.m. Wed. Service . . . . 7:00 p.m. BAPTIST CHURCH Willie L. Peterson, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship . . .11:00 a.m. HARRIS TEMPLE COGIC W. K. Ellison, Pastor Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . 11:00 a.m. Wed. Service . . . 6:00 p.m.

HAM UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Steve Reneau, Pastor

OF GOD
Shirlie Ellis, Pastor
Sunday School ... 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship ... 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service ... 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Prayer Meet .. 7:00 p.m.
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Wed. Even. Meeting 7:00 p.m

**Church Directory** Wesley D. Ard, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship . . . 11:30 a.m. Even. Service . . . . . 6:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study . . 6:00 p.m. Wed Prayer Meeting 6:30 p.m. INO BAPTIST CHURCH Garry Winstead, Pastor Sunday School . . . 8:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . 10:00 a.m.

CHRIST

CHURCH Olan Strickland, Pastor

Morn. Worship . . . . 8:45 a.m. Wed. Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m. HAW HILL ASSEMBLY MT. ZION BAPTIST

HEBRON BAPT. CHURCH Mark Cooper, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Linda Williams, Pastor

CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST - ENTERPRISE W. K. Ellison, Pastor Morning Worship . . 9:00 a.m. Tuesday Evening . . . 7:00 p.m. Friday Evening . . . . 7:00 p.m.

Wed. Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m. Matthew Morris, Pastor Sunday School . . . . 9:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.

KINSTON 1st BAPT Ben Posey, Pastor Morn. Worship ....10:00 a.m Sunday School , ... 9:00 a.m. Even. Service .... 5:00 p.m.

LIVING WORD CHURCH Derrick Stinson, Pastor Saturday Service . . . 9:45 a.m. Even. Service . . . . 6:00 p.m. Wed. Youth Service 6:00 p.m.

LIBERTY CHURCH OF Greg Hanchey, Minister LOVE'S WAY CHURCH

Charles Jones, Pastor
Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening . . 6:00 p.m.
Wed. Service . . . 7:00 p.m. MT. CALVARY BAPTIST

James Starks Jr., Pastor Sunday School ... 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship ... 11:00 a.m. Even. Worship ... 6:00 p.m. Bib Stud Wed ... 6:00 p.m. MT. GILEAD BAPTIST CHURCH

CHURCH Dewey Emfinger, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . 11:00 a.m. Sunday Evening . . 5:00 p.m. Wed. Service . . . 5:00 p.m. MT. OLIVE BAPTIST

Sunday School ... 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship ... 11:00 a.m. CHURCH

OF GOD
Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service . . . . 5:00 p.m.

CHURCH Julian Mitchell, Pastor 1st, - 4th Sun. Morn. Sunday School ....10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship ...11:00 a.m.

ED METHODIST CHURCH Lee Jones, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m PERDUE ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . 11:00 a.m. Even. Worship . . . 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Bible Study . . 6:30 p.m. NEW CHAPEL BAPTIST Terry Godwin, Pastor Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . 11:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Meet . 6:00 p.m.

JERUSALEM

NEWBIA BAPTIST

CHURCH Will Jordan, Pastor

NEW BROCKTON

METHODIST CHURCH

Dr. Craig Bailey, Pastor

NEW EBENEZER BAPTIST CHURCH Randall Pearson, Pastor Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Even. Worship . . . 5:30 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet . 6:00 p.m. NEW GLORIOUS COGIC

James Starks Jr., Pastor

Sunday School . . . , 9:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m. Even. Worship . . . 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet . 6:30 p.m.

NEW HAVEN ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH Brad Sasser, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Even. Worship . . . 5:00 p.m. Wed. Even. Service 6:30 p.m. NEW HOPE BAPT CHURCH

Lorearl Flowers, Minister Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sundays

Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Even. Worship . . . 6:00 p.m. Wed. Service . . . . 7:00 p.m.

WORSHIP CENTER

ROCKY HEAD M.B. A. R. Williams, Pastor 2nd & 4th Sundays

SHADY GROVE AME

CHURCH Sunday School .... 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship ... 11:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Meet . 6:30 p.m.

Noon Worship .

Lanny Shepard, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . 10:00 a.m. Kevin Byrd, Pastor
Sunday School ... 10:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship ... 11:00 a.m.
Wed Prayer Service 6:30 p.m.

PINEY GROVE ASSEM. BLY OF GOD - SAMSON Terry McCrummen, Pastor Sunday School ......9:45 Morn. Worship......11:00

Sunday School . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . 11:00 a.m. Even. Worship . . 5:00 p.m. Wed. Service . . . 6:30 p.m.

ROETON BAPTIST CHURCH
Sunday School ... 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship ... 11:00 a.m.
Even. Service ... 6:00 p.m.

James Boots, Pastor Sunday School . . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Praise Service Mon 5:00 p.m. Wed. Bible Study . . 6:00 p.m.

TAYLOR HILLCOMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School .... 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship ... 11:00 a.m. Wed. Night Service 5:00 p.m. JESUS CHRIST Pastor Bishop E.H. Hill Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.

Wed Bible Class. . . 7:00 p.m.

Fri Missionary Ser. 7:00 p.m. THE WAY OF HOLINESS Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . . 11:30 a.m. Tuesday Bible Class. 7:00 p.m.

Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m. Even. Service . . . . 5:00 p.m. VANDERBILT HOLINESS CHURCH Donald Mills, Pastor

Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . . 11:00 VICTORIA BAPTIST Shayne Allen, Pastor

VICTORY TABERNACLE

Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Meet . 6:30 p.m. WHITEWATER BAPTIST

WESTSIDE BAPTIST

Tommy Green, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.

WISE MILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD Kenneth Hagler, Pastor

Donnie Marler, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Even. Service . . . . 5:30 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet . 7:00 p.m.

Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. ZION CHAPEL BAPTIST

Cary Maulden, Pastor Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m

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#### LIFESTYLES

### Santa makes special deliveries to senior citizens in Elba

Elba senior citizens lightened as bright as a child on Christmas morning last Thursday, Dec. 17, when Santa delivered special packages to the local seniors.

The gifts provided to the Elba senior citizens were from Santa, and some local family/friends, and even a few secret Santa helpers, that adopted some of the seniors for Christmas. The gifts were donated directly for the Elba Seniors Citizens Program.

Elba Senior Center director Donna Falls said she wishes everyone could have seen the faces of the seniors as Santa delivered each his/ her special gift. She said it was a great day made possible by some amazing people!

The Elba Senior **Citizens Center** will be closed not delivering meals from Dec. 24th through Jan. 1st.



Santa climbed aboard the Elba Senior Citizens van last Thursday, Dec. 17, and was happy to find the vehicle full of gifts and surprises for the seniors of the Elba Senior Citizens Center. Santa said it was a jolly-good time visiting with the local seniors.

Came from Alabama in 2017 to help stabilize labor movement

#### Keith Maddox, head of San Diego-Imperial Counties Labor Council [California], to leave council at end of term on April 30

by DAVID GARRICK (Used Courtesy of the Labor Council)

SAN DIEGO - Keith Maddox, one of San Diego's Maddox is most powerful labor lead- also "increders, announced Wednesday ibly talented" that he will return home and accomto Alabama in April after plished a lot four years boosting the sta- in a relatively bility and solidarity of the short amount region's labor movement. of time.

Maddox will resign his "He picked position as executive sec- up San Diego retary-treasurer of the San politics and Diego-Imperial Counties the Labor Council, an umbrella lars of issues organization for 136 local extremely and lobbying efforts.

with the end of his elected people underestimated him, measure, which local unions city characterized by chaos term in the job, which he but in fact he was five steps strongly supported, fell is probably unfair. took over in 2017 during ahead of them already." a tumultuous period that The departure of Maddox thirds approval required lems that other cities have," included in-fighting among means that someone new for passage. He noted that he said. unions and a sexual mis- will take over the region's ongoing court battles could But he said it's crucial for conduct scandal involv- top labor post on April 30. determine the measure only local leaders to step up in ing former leader Mickey Kasparian.

ing because of scandal or Here, the county's union labor unions still face sig- going to take bold deciturmoil. He said Wednesday for hotel and food service nificant challenges, he said. sions, and there's been a lot that he wants to return home workers, and Carol Kim, No. 1 on that list would of reluctance," he said. to spend more time with his political director for the be relatively low wages children, attend University San Diego County Building coupled with some of the of Alabama football games and Construction Trades highest housing costs in the and fish for red snapper in Council. the Gulf of Mexico.

going home."

promise to serve through the 2020 election that he made to national officials in the America Federation of Labor, who put the labor council in "trusteeship" in spring 2017 and appointed Maddox to right the ship.

Since then, he has boosted the number of unions in the council from about 110 to 136, gotten many union members elected to local boards and city councils, and boosted solidarity within the region's labor movement.

"I feel pretty proud of what we accomplished," Maddox said

"We stabilized, we've rebuilt and we've restored a great deal of solidarity," he said. "We've also played a large role in electing what I would call many labor champions." Michael Zucchet, head of

the city of San Diego's largest labor union and a member of the Port Commission.

praised Maddox Wednesday. "He was an incredibly stabilizing force given the tumult going on at the time of his arrival," Zucchet said.

"He really unified a very divided labor community."

Zucchet said

particu-

with his friendly smile and ter. His departure coincides southern drawl and some Maddox stressed that the reputation as a poorly run

Likely candidates include needed a simple majority. the future.

Maddox, 61, isn't leav- dent of Local 30 Unite Maddox, San Diego and it's portation challenges are

"For me, the decision is already serve on the execu- that 'you've got New York personal," he said. "Keith is tive board of the labor counhousing prices and Alabama cil with Browning as execu- wages," he said. He has fulfilled the tive vice president and Kim One solution would be



Keith Maddox

Diego fea- said additional increases are tured a few necessary. disappoint-Another challenge is ments. They boosting the region's transinclude not portation infrastructure, getting even which Maddox said is crumore unions cial for businesses to prosto join the per and for workers to get council, and to jobs. the failure He said it was disappoint-

Maddox struction paid by devel-

of a ballot ing that a proposed region-

Maddox said San Diego's

"It's got a lot of the prob-

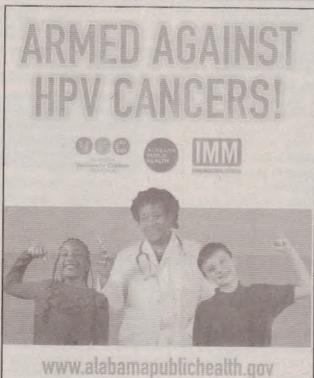
would have for transportation projects increased wasn't put on the ballot this labor unions that consoli- quickly," Zucchet said hotel taxes to expand the year because of the pandates their power, resources of Maddox. "He came in waterfront convention cen-demic.

narrowly short of the two-

Brigette Browning, presi- Despite successes under "The housing and transnation.

Browning and Kim "I often tell people here

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#### Lusk and Wilkerson named to Chancellor's List at Ole Miss

The University of Mississippi, Oxford, Miss., recently announced students named to the Fail 2020 Honor Roll lists, including Chancellor's Honor Roll.

The Chancellor's Honor Roll is reserved for students who earn a semester GPA of 3.75-4.00.

"Our Chancellor's Honor Roll students deserve a great deal of recognition for their pursuit of academic excellence and incredible achievements," said Chancellor Glenn Boyce. "These students represent some of the best and brightest at the University of Mississippi, and I'm thrilled to congratulate them for their pursuit of personal and aca-

The following students from the local area made the list: Mary Lacy Lusk and Kendall Grace Wilkerson, of Elba, Ala.

In order to be eligible for honor roll designation, a student must have completed at least 12 graded hours for the semester and may not be on academic probation during

#### Elba Masonic Lodge plans unveiling of historical marker for Feb. 13, 2021

#170 on Saturday, Feb. 13, W Simmons, Alfred Bicentennial Committee).

inviting the relatives and Simmons.

The local Masonic Lodge charter members and offiis planning a dedication and cers of the lodge to attend unveiling of the historic the event. Those charter marker for the Elba Lodge members were: William

(tentatively at 2 p.m., but McGee, William F Beard, may change as lodge mem- James Claxton, John Harper, bers are trying to coordinate Paul Smith, Pierre Darcy event time with the Mason's Costello, Micajah Harper, Irwin Rogers, William J The members of the Spurlin, James D McLean, Elba Lodge #170 are James M Tullis, and John B

descendants of the original The public is invited.

#### DAV Chapter 99 to meet Jan. 28th

for 99 will be Thursday, Jan. 28, 2021 at 6 p.m., at the New Brockton Senior Center building.

All military, military veteran, and local residents are as a vice boosting "in-lieu" fees for invited. president. affordable housing con-

For information on these upcoming meetings or more

January 2021 information about DAV, conthe tact Charles Lobdell at 334-DAV Wiregrass Chapter 718-5707 or Mike Doran at 334-406-6700.

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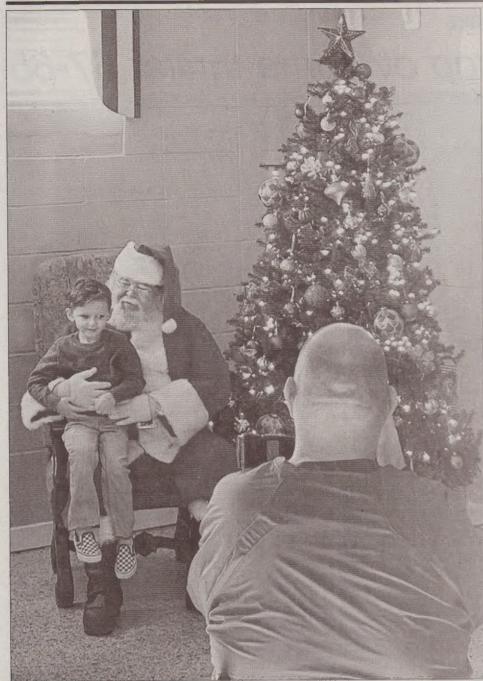
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#### **COMMUNITY NEWS**



COOKIES WITH SANTA.. Youngsters in Elba were invited to have Cookies with Santa last Saturday morning, Dec. 19, at the Elba Country Club. While there, the little ones got to have one-on-one time with 'ole Saint Nick to remind him of the things they want for Christmas this year. Above, Jude Manring, son of Pete and Beverlee Manring of Elba, talks with Santa while Colby Capps captures the moment in photo for Jude's parents.

#### Elba man killed in shooting incident at poultry house in Friendship Community of Covington County, Ala.

According to information investigation based on the the time of the shooting, and released earlier this week location," Sheriff Turman the co-worker was shootby the Covington County said. "I commend all the ing stray chickens located Sheriff's Department, an officers who spent hours underneath a subfloor while Elba man was fatally shot inside a poultry house pro- Phillips was removing the Sunday, Dec. 20, at a poul- cessing the scene. The con- deceased chickens at the ter how exhausted we may try farm where he worked. ditions were not favorable time of the incident.

Covington County Sheriff for evidence collection, but The sheriff said no charg-Blake Turman said depu- investigators adapted and es have been filed at this "Keeping our students, fac- BOWDOIN ties with his department completed their task." were called out at approxi- He said the investigation could be released. mately 4 p.m. on Dec. 20th was treated as an equivocal "Our prayers go out to the one goal to a poultry farm in the death investigation and any Phillips family during this Covington County. He said submitted to the Alabama an investigation determined Department of Forensic that Robin Earl Phillips, age Science for analysis. It also 51, of Elba, Ala., had been was reported that there were Department made an arrest

"This is very unusual inside the poultry house at for burglary. Scarce COVID-19 vaccine currently limited to people in the very high-risk category

The Alabama Department State Health Officer Dr. of Public Health (ADPH) Scott Harris said, "The follows the Advisory overriding issue at present is Committee on Immunization the scarcity of vaccine. We Practices (ACIP) guidance realize that there are many regarding administration of people at increased risk of COVID-19 vaccine.

nation. Phase la, the critical immunization. As the supinfrastructure workforce is ply of vaccine remains limidentified as frontline health ited, we continue to urge workers, including clinical the public to practice the and nonclinical workers in measures needed to help hospitals, nursing homes or reduce the transmission of those providing in-home or COVID-19." mental health care directly, and emergency medi- ties of vaccine are availcal service (EMS) provid- able, ADPH will provide ers. Various phase levels information about how the are based on risk exposure, public can go about getting and Alabama is currently vaccinated. in Phase 1a. The popula- For additional information that falls into this first tion, go to https://www. phase is more than 300,000 alabamapublichealth.gov/ Alabamians

exposure to the virus who In this first phase of vacci- are not yet able to receive

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#### Coffee County Schools dealt with 85 COVID-19 cases in first semester of 2020-2021 school year

Wednesday, Dec. 16. by Kevin Killingsworth,

Brockton High School. THE ESTATE OF:

faculty, administrators ARNETTE, and staff at each school An incapacitated person for their perseverance and dedication in helping our PC 2017-083 school system make it this PC 2020-022 far in the school year," NOTICE OF HEARING and reject any or all bids. stacked against us from 9:00 a.m. has been set for Instructions to Bidders. sense of pride and deter- the Probate Court of Coffee Water Authority mination we have made County, Alabama, Elba By: it to the end of the first Division at which time you Title:

wished everyone a blessed DONE AND ORDERED END Christmas holiday and THIS THE 11th day of ADVERTISEMENT FOR happy New Year during DECEMBER, 2020. the "well-deserved break." /s/ Jodee R. Thompson

He said the second semes- Jodee R. Thompson, Judge ter, beginning in January, of Probate will once again bring the 12-17,24,31-chg challenges of COVID to the

"We must continue COURT OF to follow the protocols COFFEE COUNTY, PC 2020-076 and guidelines that are ALABAMA received by ADPH no mat- ELBA DIVISION become in our daily rou- IN THE MATTER OF tines," Killingsworth said. JAMES PARKER time, and no further details ulty and visitors safe and in Deceased. school remains the number CASE NO: PC2020-073

Friendship Community of evidence gathered had been tragic time," Turman added. schools received new guid- PUBLICATION

The Elba Police fatally shot by a co-worker. several thousand chickens Saturday morning, Dec. 19,

> At 10:14 a.m. Saturday, officers were dispatched to 804 Simmons Street in reference to a potential burglary. After a subsequent investigation, officers arrested Nicole Wallace, age 29, of Elba.

Wallace was charged with burglary - third degree. As of press time this week, she remained in the Coffee set at \$15,000 for the bur-County Jail with her bond glary charge



City Privilege Licenses are due

January 1, 2021 and delinquent **February 1, 2021** 

Penalties will be assessed if license is not purchased prior to February 1.

For further information or to purchase a license, please contact Amy L. Sewell at (334) 897-2333.

> City of Elba, AL Sally Bane, City Clerk

The Coffee County ance last week from ADPH, in the best interest of its stu-School System [Kinston, ALSDE and AHSAA dents, faculty and visitors.

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**NOTICES:** 

Zion Chapel, and New regarding COVID proto- "The support we have Brockton schools | report- cols. He said some of those received from our parents/ ed a total of 85 COVID guidance recommendations guardians and communicases for the first semes- would be well received by ties is much appreciated," ter of school after add- the public, while others not the superintendent said. ing six new cases from so much. Regardless, he "Without that support, our Dec. 8-15th, according said Coffee County Schools jobs would be even more. to information released would follow the guidelines difficult."

The schools now are closed for the Christmas and New Year's Day holi-

reported by Killingsworth IN THE PROBATE \$100 last week included three COURT FOR COFFEE Bidding students and two faculty COUNTY, ALABAMA also may be examined at members at New Brockton ELBA DIVISION Elementary, along with one student case at New IN THE MATTER OF Street., Elba, Al 36323. All

Killingsworth said he same, if you see proper.

Elba Police make burglary arrest Letters of Administration Distribution of Small Estate

ing been granted to Jim filed by the undersigned on Parker Bowdoin on the the 21st day of December 10th day of December 2020 2020 before the Honorable by the Honorable Jodee Jodee Thompson, Judge of R. Thompson, Judge of the Probate Court of Coffee Probate Court of Coffee County, Alabama, notice is County, Alabama, notice is hereby given that all persons hereby given that all persons having claims against said having claims against said estate are hereby required to estate are hereby required to present the same within the present the same within the time allowed by law or the time allowed by law or the same will be barred. same will be forever barred. Witness my hand this the

Jim Parker Bowdoin Personal Representative

12/17,24,31-pd Coffee County Water Authority Elba, Al Project ADVERTISEMENT FOR deceased

struction of the Water Main Extension Project will be Letters Testamentary of said received by the Coffee deceased having been grant-County Water Authority, at ed to the undersigned the 22 their office located at 401 day of December, 2020, by E. Davis Street., Elba, Al the Hon. Jodee Thompson, 36323, until 12:00 p.m. Judge of the Probate Court local time on January of Coffee County, notice is 15, 2021 at which time hereby given that all persons the Bids received will be having claims against said opened and read aloud. The estate are hereby required to Project consists of install- present the same within the ing approximately 30,100 time allowed by law or the L.F. of 6" water distribution same will be barred.

the Bidding Documents 12/24,31 & 1/7-chg is: DHA Engineering, LLC., 406 Dothan Road Abbeville, Al 36310, 334-585-5841, harmojc@gmail. com. Prospective Bidders may examine the Bidding Documents at the Issuing Office and may obtain copies of the Bidding Documents from the Issuing Office via pick-up or mail upon a non-refundable production cost payment of

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Documents the Coffee County Water Authority, 401 E. Davis bidders must register as an "I want to thank our FOY BELCHER BENNIE official plan holder with the engineer no later than 48 hours prior to the bid open-

The owner reserves the right to waive any informalities Killingsworth said. "Their Take notice that Petitioner, Bid security shall be furefforts are nothing short of the Coffee County nished in accordance with remarkable, and they have Conservator, has filed a the Instruction to Bidders. truly gone the extra mile Petition for settlement of Bidders shall submit proof for our students. The odds the said Estate, and that the of qualifications to perform of making it this far were 7th day of January 2021 at the Work as described in the the beginning, but with a a hearing on the same in Owner: Coffee County

Loftin Martin Chairman December 18, can appear and contest the Date:

12/24,31 & 1/7-chg

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF COFFEE COUNTY, ALABAMA IN THE PROBATE ELBA DIVISION **CASE NUMBER** 

> IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF HERON BILLY DONALDSON Deceased.

NOTICE OF FILING OF

A Petition for Summary of said deceased hav- of said deceased having been

Witness my hand this the 21st day of December 2020. 10th day of December 2020. /s/ William Jeffery Donaldson

Petitioner 12/24/1tpd

PROBATE COURT

ESTATE OF **CHARLES LAVON HAM** Water System Improvement a/k/a CHARLES LAVON HAM SR.,

Sealed Bids for the con- PC 20-016

mains and necessary appur- /s/ William Andrew Stokes

The Issuing Office for Personal Representative

NOTICE: ----------

The Elba Clipper office will be closed Thursday, Dec. 24, and Friday Dec. 25, in observance of the Christmas holi-

The office also will be closed Friday, Jan. 1, for New Year's Day.

# Nicole Wallace

#### **SPORTS NEWS**

Views From

The Pressbox By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

Our grandson Lawson has always enjoyed looking last Tuesday night against at the gifts under the Christmas tree and checking out New Brockton, but also the name tags on the presents. So, this year we made it easy for him and put him in charge of putting bows on at the buzzer in the extra all the presents before he put them under the tree. This period bounced off the rim year when he passes out the presents he should already know who gets each gift.

For what it is worth....

\*\*\* The Elba Tigers carried an 0-7 record into the by Collin Harrison and was Christmas break, but began to show improvement in tied at 6-6 midway through losses last week to New Brockton and Brantley, and if the opening quarter, only to that improvement continues you can bet they will start see New Brockton's Dillon to log some wins very soon. The starters back from last Kelty scored four straight season have begun to settle back into their roles, and points late in the stanza as now that the roster appears to be set the team has begun to develop a personality. I've got the feeling Elba fans are going to see a very different team once they get back 18-14 early in the second on the court.

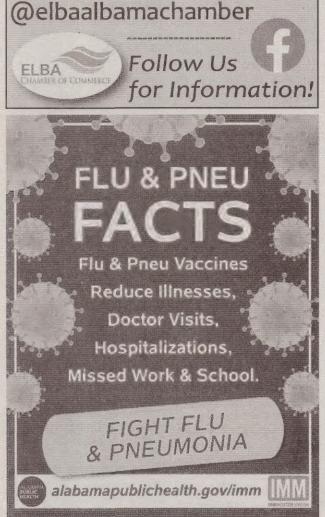
\*\*\* The Elba Lady Tigers carried a 3-6 record into up by Chrystyile Caldwell the Christmas break after two losses in a tournament in and appeared ready to catch Slocomb and it is obvious that the team has yet to put the Gamecocks. However, everything back together after last year's banner season. New Brockton's Damarion With three starters back from a year ago many fans Holt sparked a 10-1 run as thought the Lady Tigers would be a team to watch in the Gamecocks took their the 2A ranks, but so far the girls have struggled putting biggest lead of the half at points on the scoreboard and have found wins hard to come by. Don't get too concerned; however, because area play has yet to start and by the time it does look for the Lady Tigers to be ready to roll.

\*\*\* I haven't seen all the area teams yet, but from 28-22 late in the stanza, what I have seen and what I have read between the and at the half the New lines from game results, it looks like all area fans will Brockton lead stood at enjoy basketball once it returns from the holiday break. seven points at 31-24. Brantley is the top boys team in the area by a long shot and should be a state tourney contender, while Kinston has the skills to beat any opponent on any given the third quarter, but the night, Zion Chapel is somewhat of a mystery team that has already logged some impressive wins, and New Brockton has definitely started down the road back to respectability and should be a solid team before long. the final minute Elba had Over on the girls side, Brantley has one of the area's chopped the Gamecocks top players and should be a post-season power, while lead to 40-37. Kinston is also a team to keep an eye on in the 1A ranks, Zion Chapel is better than most folks think, and early in the fourth quarter New Brockton hopefully will get to play again once on a three-point play quarantines are over.

\*\*\* The state sportswriters poll came out last week Gamecocks again answered in high school basketball and in the girls' division the poll has a distinct southeast Alabama flavor with eight teams included in the statewide poll in the seven classifications. (6A) Eufaula, (5A) Charles Henderson, (2A) Geneva County and (1A) Florala are all in the Elba's John Martin Wilson Long and (1A) Brantley, Samson and Pleasant Home Elba suffers two losses top three in their respective classes, while (2A) G.W. all made the top ten. No area teams made the top three The Elba Tigers had among the boys' teams, but (6A) Eufaula, (5A) Charles another busy week on Henderson, (3A) Pike County and Opp, (2A) Geneva the basketball court, but County and (1A) Florala and Brantley all made the top continued to experience ten. I know the early-season polls are often popularity early-season struggles as contests more than actually based upon team skills, but their record dipped to 0-7. it is good to have so many teams ranked and should mean we are in for a fun ride after the holidays.

\*\*\* Okay, back to the NBA for a second. Giannis Antetokounmpo signed a five-year contract extension with the Milwaukee Bucks recently for a cool \$228 million, which is now the biggest contact in NBA history. The back-to-back league MVP with the longest name in the league is now the richest player in loss to the Geneva Panthers, the league that is filled with multi-millionaires. The last Monday night. contract sounds crazy to an old country boy like me, but if the Bucks can maintain their average attendance 15-4 midway through the a 55-38 defeat, Thursday total of 721,692 per season, as it did the season before the pandemic, the new contract will cost the fans an increase of only \$12.64 per fan, per season. I guess maybe the contract isn't so crazy after all!

Elba, Alabama Chamber...



Fall to Gamecocks

# Tigers drop overtime thriller 67-65

The Elba Tigers watched a last second three-pointer hit nothing but the net to send the game into overtime watched as a three-pointer to allow the Gamecocks to leave the Tiger gym with a 67-65 overtime win in the cross-county shootout.

Elba jumped out to an early 4-2 lead on a basket the Gamecocks opened up a 14-8 advantage.

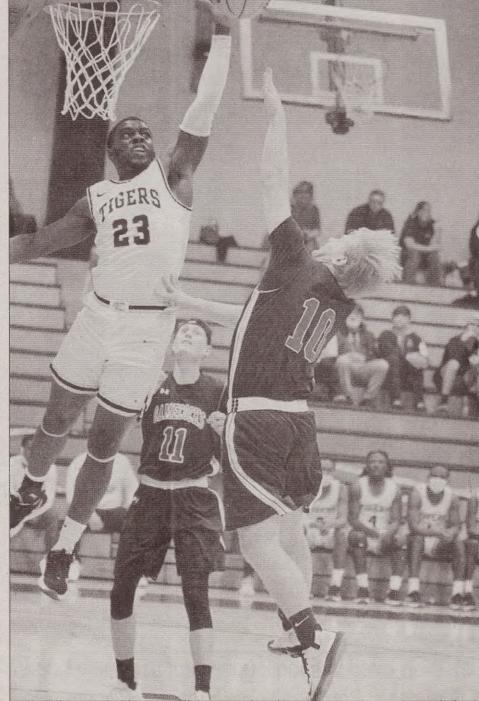
The Tigers pulled within quarter on a driving lay-

A long three-pointer by Elba's John Martin Wilson sparked a 7-0 run that pulled the Tigers within

county rivals swapped baskets early in Tigers battled back late in the stanza and when Chrystyile Caldwell banked in a short jumper in

Elba pulled within 42-40 by JT Coleman, but the the rally and upped their lead to 47-41 when Matthew Smith drained a pair of free throws.

A twisting lay-up by



SWAT.... Elba Tiger Chrystyile Caldwell (23) soars to block a shot attempt in last week's overtime loss to New Brockton. The Tigers will return to action on Dec. 28 as they host a tournament at the Tiger gym. (Photo by Roberta Gideon)

cut the New Brockton lead to 52-50 at the three-minute mark of the stanza, but the Tigers could never catch up until Collin Harrison connected on a deep threepointer with time winding overtime tied at 57-57.

Following are recaps of two of the three games:

**GENEVA 77 ELBA 50** 

behind early and saw two gallant comeback attempts fall far short in a 77-50 road

The Tigers fell behind away to hand the Tigers opening quarter and trailed 31-14 with 6:16 left in the second quarter, but began to connect from the foul line late in the quarter and closed the half with an 11-2 rally to pull within 38-27 at intermission.

basket by Collin Harrison. However, the Panthers answered with a 19-0 run to 55-38. extend their lead to 59-32 late in the quarter and carried a 64-39 lead into the final stanza. Geneva upped its lead to 72-42 with 5:39 left in the game the Tigers never again challenged as they took the 77-50 loss.

Collin Harrison scored points and Alvin Henderson added 10 to lead Elba, while Noah Johnson led the Panthers.

McIntyre 13, D. Kemmerlin 13, T. Kimmerlin 15, Perry 14, Lett 2, Griffin 2.

Elba (50): Hill 5, Lane 4, Burks 6, Harrison 12, Prince 6, Coleman 1, Henderson 10, Wilson 2,

The Elba Tigers fell BRANTLEY 55 ELBA 38 The Elba Tigers kept it close early, but then watched as Brantley slowly padded its lead as the visiting Bulldogs pulled

night in Elba. Chrystyile Caldwell and Collin Harrison combined for eight points in the first quarter as the Tigers trailed only 15-14 after one stanza. However, the Tigers scored only eight points as a team Elba closed to within in each of the final three 40-32 early in the third quarters and Brantley's quarter after a 3-pointer Tucker Kilcrease got hit by Jordan Marek and a from behind the arc as the Bulldogs slowly pulled

> Chrystyile Caldwell scored 9 points and John Martin Wilson added 8 to lead Elba, while Tucker Kilcrease led Brantley with

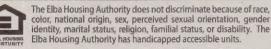
away to defeat the Tigers

B'ley (55): Edwards 8, Person 12, Smith 12, Brown 3, Kilcrease 16, Davis 4.

Elba (38): Hill 7, Burks 1, Harrison 5, Thomas 3, Henderson 3, Wilson 8, Marek 2, Caldwell 9.

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scored on a lay-up and John Martin Wilson converted and Damarion Holt scored two free throws early in the extra period to out however, a three-pointer by 3, Kelty 21, McNabb 2. down to send the game into the Gamecocks Damarion Elba (65): Hill 6, Lane

out New Brockton back on

The Tigers went back on top 65-64 inside the final minute on a steal and layup by JT Coleman, but New Brockton's Matthew Smith tied the game at 65-65 on a free-throw, and Damarion Holt banked in a short jumper with two-seconds

on top 67-65. Elba fired a deep pass to the corner and had a good look at a game winning basket, but the ball bounced off the rim as New Brockton celebrated the wild 67-65 win.

left to put the Gamecocks

Collin Harrison and Chrystyile Caldwell both scored 17 points to lead the Tigers, while JT Coleman added 10 points. Dillon Kelty led the Gamecocks

Elba's Kimdarius Hill with 21 points, while Matthew Smith added 17

N.B. (67): Johnson 8, the Tigers on top 61-57; Holt 16, Smith 17, Reynolds

Holt sparked a 5-0 run that 4, Harrison 17, Coleman 10, Henderson 4, Wilson 7, Caldwell 17.

> Elba Rec youth basketball in practice mode with games set to begin in January

During the Elba City Council meeting held Monday, Dec. 14, city clerk Sally Bane said practices were underway for the recreation department's youth basketball season.

Bane said Elba City Schools had been allowing use of the elementary school gym for practices, and the city thanked the school system for its generosity. She said games are set to begin in Janu-

#### Brantley Bulldogs and Lady Bulldogs both ranked in prep poll

The Alabama Sports Writers Association has released its first high school basketball poll of the season with five defending state champions ranked #1 in the boys and girls standings.

Huffman (6A), Williamson (4A) and Pickens County (1A) are all atop the statewide poll and return to defend their crowns in boys play, while three-time defending state champ Hazel Green is atop the 6A poll in the girls' division and three-time defending state 3A champ Pisgah sits atop the 2A poll, after moving down

Following is a list of the 'Top 3' teams in all classifications, along with area teams included in the

BOYS (7A) 1. Fairhope 2. Spain Park 3. Hoover (6A) 1. Huffman 2. Shades Valley 3. Pinson Valley 8. Eufaula (5A) 1. Ramsey 2. Parker 3. Center Point 7. Charles Henderson (4A) 1. Williamson 2. Anniston 3. Dallas County (3A) 1. Plainview 2. Cottage Hill 3. Fyffe 4. Hillcrest-Evergreen 7. Pike County 9. Opp (2A) 1. Midfield 2. Clarke County 3. Calhoun 4. Geneva County (1A) 1. Pickens County 2. Skyline 3. Decatur Heritage 5. Florala 7. Brantley

GIRLS (7A) 1. Hoover 2. Hewitt-Trussville 3. Vestavia Hills (6A) 1. Hazel Green 2. Eufaula 3. Northridge (5A) 1. Central, Tuscaloosa 2. Charles Henderson 3. Pleasant Grove (4A) 1. Deshler 2. Rogers 3. Priceville (3A) 1. Montgomery Academy 2. Susan Moore 3. Prattville Christian 4. T.R. Miller (2A) 1. Pisgah 2. Spring Garden 3. Geneva County 7. G.W. Long (1A) 1. Skyline 2. Loachapoka 3. Florala 4. Brantley 6. Samson 7. Pleasant Home

### **SPORTS NEWS**

#### **Defeat Brantley 41-33**

# Elba Lady Tigers claim third win

record to 3-4.

of both games:

GENEVA 53 ELBA 36 Monday night in a 53-36 at intermission. road loss to the Geneva Lady Panthers.

The Elba Lady Tigers midway through the Baker added 9 to lead the Lady Tigers creep hit the court twice second stanza. Elba's Elba, while Pazley Lamb out to an 11-10 lead, last week in regular Nina Williams drained led the Lady Panthers while Nina Williams basketball season action a long 3-pointer and with 14 points and added five points in the and posted one win and then converted a three- Makaley Boswell added second stanza as Elba one loss to push their point play to spark a 13. 10-0 run for the Lady Following are recaps Tigers as Elba closed to within 29-20 with 1:16 remaining in the half, and even though the The Elba Lady Tigers Lady Panthers added fell behind early and a late basket, the Lady never recovered last Tigers trailed only 31-20

little in the third quarter 17 three-point attempts Geneva came out on both ends of the and 1 of 6 free-throws, the opening quarter and Lady Panthers regained bolted out to an 18-10 command as they Bulldogs and claimed first quarter advantage, stretched their lead to a 41-33 win, Thursday with 24 points. then appeared to take 41-27 by the end of the night in Elba. complete command stanza and turned back a as the Lady Panthers late Elba rally to defeat Jaylyn Baker scored four Sanders 5, Gray 16. scored the first 11 points the Lady Tigers 53-35.

open up a 29-10 lead 24 points and Jaylyn

**ARITON PURPLE CATS - CHAMPIONS** 

ELBA TIGERS - SECOND PLACE

Ariton wins JV tourney

52-50 to win the five-team G.W. Long placed fifth

Elba JV clobber Gamecocks,

The Elba Tigers junior N.B. (17): Bourne 4,

varsity split a pair of Peacock 1, Lawson 2,

basketball games last week Crumpler 2, English 3,

West 3, Woodham 2.

The Elba Tigers saw a

defeat the Tigers 43-41,

final stanza to pull out the

Washington added 10 to

Welch 1, Staley 4, Tyson 6,

exciting 43-41 win.

edged by Brantley Bulldogs

event, while Elba claimed with an 0-2 slate.

Purple Cats claiming three second.

straight wins to take home

as they defeated the New

and lost to the Brantley

The Elba Tigers pulled

Brockton Gamecocks 52-17

Bulldogs 43-41.

Elba 51 N.B. 17

both games:

the tourney crown.

Geneva (53): Johnson 8, Boswell 13, Ausley 4, Bedsole 1, Hammack 3, Lamb 14, Watson 10.

Elba (36): Baker 9, Williams 24, M. Gray 3.

ELBA 41 B'LEY 33

The Elba Lady Tigers The pace slowed a connected on only 2 of past the Brantley Lady

Makinna Gray and points, apiece, in the of the second quarter to Nina Williams scored opening quarter to help Upshaw 4, Perkins 24.

carried a 19-17 lead in at intermission.

Gray added six points in both the third and fourth quarters to keep the Lady Tigers on top, and Baker added four fourth quarter points as Elba pulled away late to claim the 41-33 win.

Makinna Gray scored 16 points and Jaylyn Baker added 10 points firing on all cylinders in court. However, the but still managed to fight and 11 rebounds to lead Elba, while Gabby Perkins led Brantley Elba (41): Baker 10.

A. Chism 3, Williams 7, B'ley (33): Clayton 5,



Elba Lady Tiger Makinna Gray (in black) drives to the basket. Gray scored 16 pints in last week's 35-29 win over New Brockton.

(Photo by Roberta Gideon)

#### High School

# BASKETBALL BRIEFS

#### VARSITY BOYS:

Gamecocks scalped by Red Tops 64-55

The New Brockton Gamecocks lost to the Slocomb Red Tops 64-55. Dillon Kelty scored 23 points to lead the Gamecocks, while Jaylen Nobles scored 28 points and Brody Campbell added 17 for the Red Tops

Brantley Bulldogs bite Purple Cats 64-52 The Brantley Bulldogs claimed a 64-52 win over to 3-6 with losses to Poplar the Ariton Purple Cats. Morrell Edwards drained five Springs and Samson. 3-pointers and scored 23 points to lead the Bulldogs, Following while Taye Person added 18 points and 8 rebounds, and both games: Kenuwyn Dixon added 11 points and 5 steals. Hayes Floyd led the Purple Cats with 14 points, 11 rebounds and POPLAR SP. 35 ELBA 29

Kinston Bulldogs caged by Geneva 49-39 The Kinston Bulldogs dropped a 49-39 decision to the Geneva Panthers. Tyrese McIntyre scored 13 points and Noah Johnson added 9 points to lead the Panthers.

Brockton ambushed by Rebels 88-75

The New Brockton Gamecocks lost an 88-75 high- long three-pointer to lead a Jaylyn Baker scored a total scoring shootout to the Rehobeth Rebels. Dillon Kelty balanced Elba attack as the of 10 points in the second scored 28 points to lead the Gamecocks, while Matthew Lady Tigers pulled out to a and third quarters, the Lady Smith added 19, Damarion Holt added 15 and Brandon 10-7 first quarter advantage. Tigers connected on only 6 Johnson scored 10. Parker Turner scored 27 points to lead However, the Lady Tigers of 16 free throws in the two Rehobeth.

#### VARSITY GIRLS:

Elba High School held wins over Highland Home its annual 'Junior Varsity' 37-20 and Geneva 46-44 Brantley outscores Lady Cats 54-45 basketball tournament last and lost to Geneva 44-41

The Brantley Lady Bulldogs posted an impressive 54-45 weekend with the Ariton and Ariton 52-50 to place win over the Ariton Lady Cats. Gabby Perkins poured in 39 points and grabbed 20 rebounds to lead the Lady Geneva posted a 2-2 Bulldogs, while Yasmine Upshaw added 7 points and 8 record to finish third, while rebounds.

Ariton claimed wins over Highland Home finished Kinston falls to Geneva 55-39 Highland Home 40-35, the tourney with a 1-2 Geneva 47-41 and Elba record to place fourth, and

The Kinston Lady Bulldogs battled for all four quarters Springs. in a 55-39 loss to the Geneva Lady Panthers. Kelsi Cardwell scored 19 points to lead Kinston, while Makaley Boswell scored 15 points and Melody Watson added 13

Lady Bulldogs drop Goshen 42-17

The Brantley Lady Bulldogs rolled to a big 42-17 win over the Goshen Lady Eagles. Gabby Perkins scored 15 points and grabbed 14 rebounds to lead Brantley, while Kayden Dunn added 12 points and 10 rebounds.

#### JV BOYS:

BRANTLEY 43 ELBA 41 Gamecocks fall hard to Red Tops 54-21 The New Brockton Gamecocks dropped a 54-21 decision Following is a recap of furious third quarter rally to the Slocomb Red Tops. Brenden McLaughlin scored 12

run out of gas late as the points and Tarrant Mobley added 11 to lead the Red Tops. Brantley Bulldogs rallied Elba High to host boys and in the closing minutes to girls tournament Dec. 28-29 Thursday night in Elba. The Tigers outscored the

Elba High School will host its first ever 'Pea River Bulldogs 19-10 in the third Christmas Classic' Basketball Tournament the week after quarter to erase a 20-13 Christmas with a total of four boys' teams and six girls'

halftime deficit, but the teams taking part in the two-day high school event, at the Bulldogs scored late in the Elba Tiger gym. "Several of the longtime high school tournaments in the area were cancelled due to the pandemic," said Elba Lady

Connor Moseley scored Tiger head coach Shaun Hammonds, "and that left a lot 14 points and Malachi of coaches looking for places to go. I talked with some coaches, who in turn talked with other coaches, and we agreed to give it a try and host the two-day tournament. I B'ley (43): Bush 7, hope all area fans will come out to watch the action in both Kilcrease 3, Parks 12, divisions and help us make this an annual event."

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE Elba (41): Washington Monday, Dec. 28

10, Gray 5, Adkins 4, 1:00 (Girls) Highland Home vs. Andalusia 2:30 (Girls) Geneva County vs. Montgomery Academy 4:00 (Boys) Highland Home vs. Montgomery Academy

5:30 (Girls) Elba vs. Georgiana 7:00 (Boys) Elba vs. Georgiana

Tuesday, Dec. 29

1:00 (Girls) Andalusia vs. Georgiana 2:30 (Girls) Highland Home vs. Geneva County

4:00 (Boys) Highland Home vs. Georgiana 5:30 (Girls) Elba vs. Montgomery Academy 7:00 (Boys) Elba vs. Montgomery Academy

Attendance inside the gym will be limited to 300 fans per game

#### At Slocomb tourney

#### Lady Tigers drop two straight

competed in the Slocomb Ealum 7, Schizzer 1. Holiday Basketball and saw their record slip

Following are recaps of

The Elba Lady Tigers saw an early lead vanish to Poplar Springs.

scored only six points in both the third and fourth quarters to allow Poplar Spring to take a 31-22 lead, and saw a late rally fall short in the tourney loss.

Jaylyn Baker scored 11 points to lead Elba and Nina Williams added 9, while Harley Owens scored 10 points to lead Poplar

P.S. (35): Bennett 2, B. Smith 6, A. Smith 3, Watson

The Elba Lady Tigers 3, Skipper 3, Owens 10, Elba (29): Baker 11, Tournament last weekend Williams 9, J. Gray 2,

SAMSON 52 ELBA 40

The Elba Lady Tigers fell behind early and never caught up Saturday morning in a 52-40 loss to Samson, in second round

late in the second quarter The Lady Tigers had and never caught back up in problems finding their way a 35-29 opening round loss to the goal in the first quarter as Samson raced out to an Breanna Sanders nailed a early 14-6 lead, and while quarters as Samson never lost command and handed Elba the 52-40 defeat.

> Jaylyn Baker scored 17 points to lead Elba, while Kinley Johnson led Samson with 16 points.

S'son (52): Johnson 16, Duff 3, Edberg 14, Godwin 8, Mock 11.

Elba (40): Baker 17, Williams 8, J. Gray 6, Sanders 2, M. Gray 7.

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ahead early and never looked back in a 52-17 win over the New Brockton Gamecocks, last Tuesday night in Elba. The Tigers jumped out to an 18-7 first quarter advantage to take command then outscored the Gamecocks 26-7 in the second half to pull away

and claim the lopsided win. Connor Moseley scored 9 points and Zaydrian Daniels added 8 to lead

Elba (52): Washington 4, Parks 10. Gray 7, Purvis 2, Moseley 9, Cosson 2, Gomez 2, 5, Siler 5, Magwood 2.

Adkins 6, Daniels 8, Griffin Moseley 14, Daniels 8. COFFEE COUNTY LAKE IS CLOSED

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each and every year!

She loves to reminisce over memories from her childhood. She and Sister often get good laughs off of some of their 'days gone' memories, but they cherish them deeply.

In the spirit of Christmas [with this edition of Tales from Yonder being in the Christmas Eve paper], Lou Lou wanted to share a few of her favorite Christmas memories with her readers...

The Christmas Lou Lou and Sister Got Proof that Santa is Real!

Who needs today's pogo sticks? Remember the pogo balls of the 1980s? It was the Christmas that pogo balls were all the crave, and both Lou Lou and Sister had asked Santa to deliver them each a pogo ball. They were super excited for the new toy, even if it probably meant a few bumps and bruises

Well...Christmas morning arrived, and sure enough there were two pogo balls underneath the tree! Both Lou Lou and Sister were beyond gleeful!

Of course, Mama and Papa insisted they get all the gifts opened before going outside to play with the new pogo balls...and there was waiting also to eat breakfast and get dressed. Lou Lou determined over the years that Mama and Papa just liked to torture their Christmas enthusiasm by making them wait to go outside and play with their new toys!

The time arrived, and Lou Lou and Sister grabbed their pogo balls to head outside! Wait! Something was not right!

Right there on Sister's pogo ball was a mark...a black mark! Sister began to deflate at the thought of her pogo ball having a defect, but that was not it at

"Sister!" Lou Lou exclaimed. "Do you not realize what that is on your pogo ball?"

No, was Sister's reply.

"It's a mark from Santa's shoe!" Lou Lou insisted. "Santa played with your pogo ball, and his shoe left a mark on it! How cool is that?!?!?"

"Mama! Lou Lou says that Santa played with my pogo ball and left his mark on it? Is that true?" Sister turned to her ultimate source of verification.

"It has to be!" Mama confirmed.

Then Papa chimed in... "And, the ball is a little deflated. With Santa being a bit too big for your pogo ball, I bet it deflated the ball while he was jumping around on it," Papa said. "No problem, though. I can add some air back for you."

So, it was true! Santa really was real!! And, to those who doubt it, he also enjoys 'testing' the toys from time to time just to be sure they will work prop-erly on Christmas Day. The proof was on the pogo ball, so to speak... The Christmas Sister Woke Everyone Up Way Too Early!

As Lou Lou got a little older in her childhood years, she remained excited on Christmas morning to see what Santa had left, along with opening gifts from Papa and Mama; however, she also realized the gifts would still be there even if everyone slept in a little later.

Sister, on the other hand, never had that realization! And, with her being the younger of the two, she was most always the one to jump up bright eyed first to make a dash to the Christmas tree. Each and every year, she would come running into Lou Lou's room filled with joy.

"Santa came! Santa came!" Sister would yell.

This one particular year, Sister did not even peer at the clock before she made her announcement all through the house. Upon waking everyone up, it soon became clear that Sister had gotten a tad bit too excited and had woken everyone before dawn...3:30 a.m. to be exact!

Well...there was no sending Sister [or Lou Lou really at this point] back to bed knowing Santa had already made his deliveries. So, a very tired Papa and Mama [they had not been in bed very long themselves, it was revealed years later] gave in to the excitement and allowed the opening of presents early, early that Christmas morning.

The catch on this particular Christmas, however, was that Lou Lou and Sister had been gifted by Santa a trampoline that year. And, where do trampolines reside...yep! Outside!

So, Papa and Mama got the last laugh that year as they sent Sister and Lou Lou outside in the dark searching for the 'big gift' Santa had left for them. Seeing as that the trampoline was just out back from the backdoor, it would have been easy to just open that door and show the girls the gift, but no, Mama and Papa found it funny to send them trekking from the front to the back [Lou Lou still harasses Sister for causing that one by not sleeping a few hours longer].

Lou Lou and Sister soon found said trampoline and enjoyed a few minutes of pre-dawn jumping, but Mama and Papa quickly convinced them to return to bed so everyone could get a little more rest before the day actually began!

Long story short on this one...make sure the sun is at least up before waking the household on Chrismtas Day. Sister never again woke anyone before dawn after that Christmas. Of course, now, she is the one all are dragging from the bed on Christmas Day!

Those two fun Christmas stories came to mind this week as Lou Lou and Sister were making a new Christmas memory together. Monday night of this week, they were looking upon the "Christmas Star" [the planets of Jupiter and Saturn aligning]. This was the closest the two planets had appeared together in about 800 years, and the happening won't occur again until 2080,

Lou Lou was marveling at the uniqueness [coolness] of the event after she and Sister located the 'star' in the sky when she noticed that Sister did not seem as enthusiastic about it as she had before they actually located it. Lou Lou wondered where Sister's enthusiasm had gone, and then it hit her.

"Sister...You thought it was going to look like the star we see in all the Christmas scenes accompanying the birth of Jesus, didn't you?" Lou Lou asked with a sheepish grin on her face.

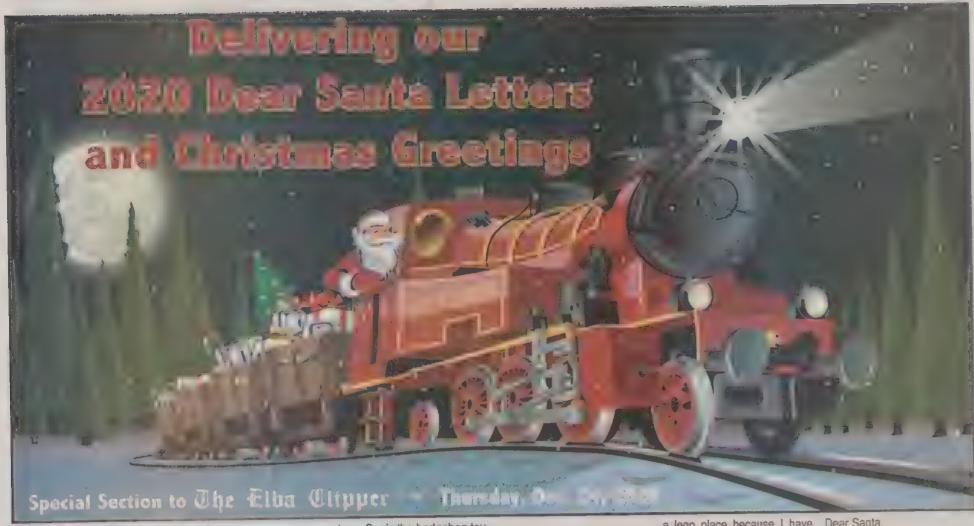
A very reluctant Sister admitted that she did indeed have that image in her mind and was a bit disappointed to realize it was not at all the case.

Lou Lou promises she only laughed a short while at Sister for this one, but she did eventually convince Sister it still was a really cool event they had just shared together. Truth is though...that kid wonder Sister had prior to the event was gone with no return after she realized the actuality of the event. There is a little bit of kid in us all, no matter our age!

This Christmas, even though it will be a bit different for many of us due to the COVID-19 pandemic we are still battling, don't forget to enjoy it just like a kid on Christmas morning that gets up wayyy to early to open presents or realizes that Santa played with his/her toys, and be that adult that still has a kid's wonder in her heart as she looks to the sky to see the stars! Make sure your family and friends know just how much love you have for them in your heart, and whether you are together or far apart, make memories to last a

Until next time...God Bless, Keep Smiling, and...

Merry Christmas from Cuzin Lou Lou and the Yonder Gang! The Elba Clipper





#### Elba Head Start

been a good girl this year. I surprise for Christmas. want a Barbie Camper, a fish tank, a fish, a microwave, a Dear Santa, refrigerator, play food, and My name is Madison. I have of surprises for Christmas. lots of surprises.

a good girl this year. I want Christmas. a purple bike, a swing set, a baby doll, a dog, and a Barbie My name is **Trinity**. doll, and lots of surprises for I have been a good girl this Christmas.

My name is Graycen. I have been a good boy this year.

I want a blue monster truck, I would like Scooler, Course

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I want a Mighty Pup dog, a like Scooler, Course

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I red bicycle, a car that turns been a good girl this year. I truck, and lots of surprises for colors, a green car, and lots want a Barbie Camper, a life - Christmas. of surprise for Christmas.

My name is Bentley. I have been a good boy this year. I Dear Santa, want a blue bicycle, a truck, My name is Tamorian. I have a PJ Mask car, a truck, a and lots of surprises for been a good boy this year. I football, a Paw Patrol toy, a Christmas.

holiday season.

Dear Santa, My name is Kayleigh. I have a new bicycle, and lots of been a good girl this year. I surprises for Christmas. want a Doc McStuffins set, a purple bicycle, a blue ball, a Dear Santa, prises for Christmas.

My name is Jordin. I have prises for Christmas. been a good girl this year. I want a purple scooter, a hov- Dear Santa,

been a good girl this year. I want Paw Patrol Sky pant- Dear Santa, ies, a pink bike, a Barbie My name is l'Lya. I have surprises for Christmas. My name is Kyli, I have been doll, and lots of surprises for been a good girl this year. I

year. I want a Barbie dream house, a I-pad, and lots of Santa, surprise for Christmas.

Dear Santa, My name is

Dear Santa, size baby doli, a make- up kit, dolls, a new bike, and lots of My name is Clarence. I have Dear Santa, surprise for Christmas.

want some hot wheels cars, Spiderman game, and lots of I would like lets see

toys. Sonic the hedgehog toy,

kitchen set, and lots of sur- My name is Kaden. I have Spiderman motorcycle, a tabbeen a good boy this year. I want a blue bike, a 4- wheeler, a red car, and lots of sur-

erboard, a camera, a green My name is A'Niyah. I have I want a Ninja turtle lab, a with remote control. My name is Khloe, I have ball, a Barbie doll, and lots of been a good girl this year. I Paw Patrol tower, and lots of Love Cole Capps want a baby doll, a kitchen surprises for Christmas. set, a red bicycle, and some musical instruments, and lots Dear Santa,

want a pink car, a pink bike, The Young World a kitchen set, and a baby of Learning Inc. doll and lots of surprises for

My name is Rylan. I have been a good boy this year. Dear Santa, I want a blue monster truck,

I want a PJ Mask house, a trailer. Batman and Superman toy, Love Robert Grantham

been a good boy this year. okay I think that's all. want clothes, shoes, a Love Dunn Wicker let, a new bicycle, and lots of surprises for Christmas.

My name is Trinidad. I have Dear Santa,

My name is Johnny I have Love Adley Thomas been a good boy this year. I

want cars, trucks, and lots of Dear Santa,

Dear Santa, I would like oh umm a four wheeler and a playhouse. Love Brody Sasser

I would like Scooter, Countreehouse of course. Love Riggs Moore

been a good boy this year. I would like Bwue truck and Dear Santa,

track like four race tracks and

a lego place because I have Dear Santa, an older one and need a new I would like some baby dolls My name is Jameri. I have one... OH! And a train track... and a lady bug car.

> I would like Baarbieee house! Love Kayleigh Smith

been a good boy this year. I would like a BIG twanaswarus stroller

I would like Pink barbie car.

I would like When I went to my I would like something for a cousins house and saw Santa teacher! I already told him I wanted a Love Lilli Beth Anderson "BIG" playhouse! Love Landry Kate Spurin

Dear Santa, I would like a baby doll that sings and dances. Love Lillian Whitworth

I would like a house like a whit- Dear Santa. tlee one... this whittle. Love Jude Manring

me lots of toys, a monster truck pot. and a toy mud hehehe. Love Lawson Davis

Love Nycolette Dewberry

Dear Santa, I would like super heroes!!

Love Dimitri Dewberry

Dear Santa, I would like a baby doll and Love Bry'Aunna Henderson

I would like bugg and baby ahhh PUZZLES! Love Taryn Thomas

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa, I would like Buggy (laughing) Love Everleigh King

I would like a baby doll. Love Evie Shepherd

I would like cups. Love Eva Claire Moore

Dear Santa. I would like I want him to bring I would like baby and coffee Love Attison Sipper

Thank you all at The Elba







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Dear Santa. My name is Farris and I am almost 4! I am so excited about you coming this year. I am trying hard to stay on the nice list. Would you please bring me some makeup and a light up mirror? I love putting make up on, pretend of course. I would also like some Care Bears. The brown one is my favorite. Have a safe trip. I will leave you some milk and cookies. Love, Farris Mauldin

My name is Jack and I am 4! I have been trying hard to be good. Mrs. Meghan reminds

me a lot that you are watching. I will be good so I can get some presents. Would you bring me some hunting and fishing stuff? I love catching big fish. Could you also bring me some big monster trucks? I will try not to eat all the cookies and leave you some with some milk. Love, Jack Farmer

My name is Maddie and I am I love writing and drawing on 3 1/2 years old. I am sure you already know that baby dolls are still my favorite thing. Mommy said I have enough but a girl can never have too many baby dolls. I also like Dear Santa,

some cookies out for you.

wait to get some toys and will don't eat them! & Butterflies try hard to be sweet. I would Love, John Anderson like for you to bring me some Blippi toys and stuff. I love some yoshi stuff and a big have a safe trip. I will leave you some cookies and milk.

> Dear Santa. trying really hard to be good. Hopefully I make the nice list. If so could you please bring me Love, Mason Mehaffey some Monster Trucks, some real tools, Bakugans, and a few nerf guns. I will leave you some milk and cookies. Tell the elves and Mrs. Claus I Love, Levi Wilkerson

1 1/2 years old. I have heard a lot about you this year. I am trying to be good because everyone says if I am you will bring me presents. If you do

bring presents | would like you to bring me a Magna Doodle. it. I also love playing with the toy make up. Have a safe trip Love, Jaelynn Green

riding on the roller coaster or My name is John and I am

Christmas is on the way, so we're reaching out to say, "Hope it's merry, bright wonderiul in every single (334) 897-2981 way!

maybe some puzzles. I am try-ing hard to be good. I will leave been doing good Santa. I have preemie. I love to play with toys I've been a very sweet baby been trying really hard to be me some Beyblades, electric scooter, and some surprises. My name is Jason and I am My sister and I will leave you almost 3 years old! I am so some milk and cookies as long excited about Christmas! I cant as our elves Dash and Delilah

watching him. I would also like My name is Mason and I am 3 1/2 years old! I think I have Hi Santa, truck that I can ride. I hope you been good this year and my name is still on the good list. will try hard to stay on it. Would you please bring me a good boy this year, I'm quite some more puzzles, a batman sure you'll find my name at the My name is Levi and I am I will leave you some milk and mas I would like a Blues Clues almost 5 years old! I have been cookies, plus some food for Play and Learn Thinking Chair, your reindeer. Have a safe trip a Power Wheels truck, and Santa and don't get lost!

Dear Santa. My name is Hannah and I am reindeer! almost 2 years old!. I am hav- Love, Chance ing so much fun this Christmas and heard so much about you. would you bring me a micro- be my first actual Christmas. I les! My name is Jaelynn and I am phone? I love singing all the want a baby doll to play house Love, Adela time. Would you also bring me with, a car for my doll, new hair some Little people and castle? They are so much fun! Hope have been a very good girl this you have a safe trip here. Love Hannah Fulton

> I am 10 months old. I don't know much about Christmas like a Sesame Street themed but do know they won't let room, blocks, and a tablet. me play with the tree and Love, Kyree ornaments. I love playing with everything! My favorite is all the bowls and spoons at the play kitchen. I also love playing with the blocks and knocking them down. I hope you get here safe and don't see that Grinch thing the kids are talking about. Maybe mommy will leave us both milk and cookies.

> my first Christmas and I know keys, real keys! my mommy and daddy are Thanks so much Santa, Rainy excited. I love looking at the Christmas lights and anything learned to swing my arms you get me Santa. Have a great Christmas. I will get my ies and milk. mommy and daddy to leave you some milk and cookies. Love, Clara Belle Parrish

My name is Alivia and I am 5 1/2 months old. I should be 3 months old but I am surprising everyone with all the things

noise. Santa I am sure you will bring me lots of goodies. I will get my sisters and brother to make you some cookies. Have a good Christmas.

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Love, Alivia Free

My name is Chance and I am very excited for my first real Christmas! I have been such house, and lots of hot wheels. top of the nice list! For Christa new drum set. I'll be sure to leave you lots of milk and cookies and sprinkle some food around the yard for your

> bows, and also a toy phone. I Dear Santa, vear Santa. Love, Aurora

My name is Mary Heath and I've been a sweet baby this year! For Christmas I would

> like clothes, shoes, rattles, light up toys, and blocks. Love, Christopher

I promise I'm trying to be good but my brothers test me some- Dear Santa, Love, Mary Heath McCrummen times. For my first Christmas I My name is James and I have My name is Clara Belle and a bag of cheese puffs, and a really like cars, trucks, build- ride on car, balls, and stacking I am 12 weeks old. This is set of keys; not the fake plastic ing blocks, and anything that toys! I'll leave you lots of milk

that lights up. I also have My name is Kimbella Hill, I to make the toys swing and have been nice, for Christmas make noise. I will love anything I would like a Leap Frog tablet and laptop. I'll leave out cook-Love, Bella

> I've been a really good girl all year. Please bring me a Barbie Dream House. I'il make sure to Love, Lela

this is my very first Christmas. Love, Daisy My big sisters seem to love it so I am excited. I have been Miss Maci's Class a very good girl this year and Dear Santa, can't wait to play with the wrapping paper and boxes. Mommy and Daddy tell me no when I touch them and that makes me cry. You wouldn't make me wait would you? I would like books, a riding toy, and pj's. Love, Natalie

May this festive season

enough joy to carry you

lift your spirits with

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that have a smile on them and this year and for Christmas I sweet. I really want you to bring love things I can hit and make would love to have my very own Minnie Mouse phone.

> My name is Jordan and I have been such a good boy this year! For Christmas I would like toy trucks, building blocks, and a toy phone! I will leave you milk and cookies! Love, Jordan

Mrs. Maygan's Class

been a good boy all year long. For Christmas this year I would like jumbo building blocks, cars, and trucks that light up! I

Love, King

They have told me if I am good My name is Aurora Sanders rocking horse, and a baby dol!! back with you! you bring toys. If that is true and I am one year old, this will I will leave you milk and cook- Love, Milanii

like a tablet, a basketball goal, a mini trampoline, and a backyard playset!

My name is Stella and I have My name is Emmerson and I been a very good girl this year! have been a very good boy this Some ideas for me for Christyear! For Christmas this year! For Christmas this year I would mas this year would be cows; would like a big dinosaur, a kit-I'm OBSESSED with cows, hand puppets, dolls, and Minnie mouse toys. I'll be sure to milk and cookies! leave you milk and cookies!

would like my own phone that been such a good boy this plays Baby Shark on repeat, year. For Christmas I would makes noise! I'll be sure to and cookies! leave milk and cookies. Love, James

am 10 months old. This year I My name is Khyree and I have My name is Jasper Sanders, been a really good boy this and for Christmas I would like year, so for Christmas I would a football, hot wheels cars, and really like a drum set, light up toys, and more music makers. I will leave you cookies and milk and carrots for the reindeer! Love, Khyree

My name is Natalie Smith and leave you milk and cookies!

Many Thank

My name is Elizabeth and I my brand new baby sister! I will eave you lots of milk and cookies for your trip back home!

TIRE STORES

Dear Santa.

My name is Thor Dean and I have been such a good boy this year, so for Christmas I would like dinosaurs, cars, building blocks, and lots of books. I will be sure to leave you milk and cookies and I will also leave carrots for your reindeer!

Dear Santa.

My name is Gracelyn and I have been on my best behavior this year. For Christmas I would really like it if you could bring me baby dolls, stuffed animals, My name is King and I have been a good boy all year long. kick ball. I will leave cookies and milk for you and carrots for your reindeer! Love, Gracelyn

Dear Santa.

My name is Milanii and I have been a very nice girl all year! For Christmas I would like a cell My name is Adela and I'm quite phone, bows, box of cheez-its, sure you'll find my name on and anything troll themed! I will the nice list! Since I have been ask my mommy to make sure such a good girl for Christmas we bake yummy cookies for I hoping to get a kitchen set, a you and your reindeer to take

Dear Santa,

I have been a very good girl this year so I would like you to My name is Zaire and I have bring me a cleaning set, legos, been on my best behavior this and a tablet for Christmas! And year! For Christmas I would if you could bring something for my big brother that would be very nice! I'll be sure to leave you a yummy snack!

> ty cat, toy robot, and anything Mickey Mouse! I'll leave you

Love, Emmerson Dear Santa, My name is Austin and I have been such a good boy! For Christmas I would really like building blocks, a train set, a

Mrs. Mary Kate's Class Dear Santa

I would like to have a cowboy gun, and also a new bike. I will leave you cookies and milk. Love, Jasper

My name is Ace and I have My name is Daisy and I have been a very good boy this year been a very good girl! For so for Christmas I would like a Christmas this year I would like trampoline, trucks, tablet, ridbooks, learning toys, balls, and ing car, and Paw Patrol toys. I'll activity toys that light up! I will be sure to leave you lots of milk

Love, Ace

My names is Brooks and I have been such a good boy all year. have been a very good little For Christmas I would like a girl this year! For Christmas blue tractor, a swing set, and would like a stuffed Minnie a trampoline! I promise to keep Mouse, tons of yoo-hoos, a being the best I can be and I'll trampoline, and something for even leave you a snack out for your trip back to the North Pole!

> Dear Santa, My names is Kaiden and I am two years old. I have been on my very best behavior all year long, even though some times were harder that others! For Christmas this year I would like a trampoline, tools, tractors, and lot sof Paw Patrol and Blippy toys! Love, Kaiden

Dear Santa, My name is Sara Clark and

I have been a really good girl this year! For Christmas I would like a play kitchen, stuffed animals, a new swing, and pinkalicious toys! I'll be sure to leave you milk and cookies! Love, Sara Clark

My name is Kase Bedsole, and I am two years old. For Christmas I would love a Power Wheels, Paw Patrol Dino Rescue, remote control car,





Bright Beginnings (con't) Mrs. Charity's Class Dear Santa.

My name is Jaden and I have Dear Santa, ies and milk. Love, Jaden

Dear Santa, My name is Arionah and I have been a very good girl all year long. For Christmas I would like a bike, Barbie Doll House, Phone, Tea Cup Set, Fishing Pole Set, and Jojo Shoes! I will leave you cookies and milk for your trip home! Love, Arionah

Dear Santa, I have been the very best boy this year so for Christmas I would like paw patrol toys and Dear Santa, Batman toys. Thank you so Love, Wyatt Culver

Dear Santa, big trucks and paw patrol toys! Love, Harlie I'll be sure to leave you milk and cookies! Love, Wyatt P.

My name is Sissy and I have been a very good girl! For Christmas I would like Minnie Mouse toys, look and find to leave snacks for you in the books, and bubbles. I'll be sure to leave milk and cookies!

Love, Sissy

Dear Santa, My name is Kinsley and I am very good girl! I really like dolls. tractors, dress up clothes, and am really in love with Minnie Mouse toys! I'll be sure to leave lots of cookies and carrots for you and all the reindeer. Love, Kinsley

Dear Santa, been on my very best behavior all year! For Christmas I would like paw patrol cars, monster trucks, and toy dinosaurs. I will leave you milk and cookies and carrots for your reindeer! Love, Evan

My name is Titan and I am ch a good little boy and have mas I would like Spider-Man toys, big trucks, and Elmo toys. Maybe you can throw some things in for my Sissy too, she really loves JoJo Siwal We'll be sure to leave you chocolate chip cookies and a warm glass Love, Titan

Dear Santa, My name is Kayden and 1 promise I have been on my very best behavior this year! I'm sure you can find my name on the nice list so for Christmas I would like dinosaurs, trucks, PJ Mask toys, trains, and tractors. I'll leave you milk and cookies Love, Kayden K. Dear Santa,

am three years old. For Christmas I would love a Power Wheels, a Paw Patrol Cruiser, and remote control car, and Love, Luke Miss Sue's Class

Hi Santa, My name is Jessie and I have been the best girl all year long so for Christmas this year would really like a baby doll with bottle, baby monkey, makeup, and a unicorn bike. I will be sure to leave you cookies and milk! Love, Jessie

I have been on my very, very new iPad best behavior all year long. My Love Adalyn favorite color is purple so for Christmas I was thinking you Dear Santa, could bring me a pair of purple My name is Ally and I am four boots, a purple belt, makeup years old. I have been such a Dear Santa, set, and a Barbie doll house! I'll good girl this year so for Christ- My name is Ella Pugh and I be sure to bake you some yum- mas I would like a 4 wheeler,

Love, Hailey Berry been on my very best behavior My name is Nation and I have Dear Santa, so for Christmas I would like tried really hard to be on my I'm Oaklie! I'm sure you already a hotwheels race track, hot- best behavior all year long so know I have been nice all year. wheels cars, sharks and sea for Christmas I would like you For Christmas I would love a Dear Santa,

My name is Gracelynn but Dear Santa, everybody calls me Gracie, I I know you've had a very busy leave you milk and cookies and with. Be safe, Santat My name is Wyatt Culver and carrots for all of your reindeer! Love. Nova

My name is Harlie and I have am four years old. For Christall year long. For Christmas have a Power Wheels, Baby I would like an American girl Alive, Peppa Pig Playhouse, doll and doll clothes to dress and surprises.

Modde Richert Set: This eather lots of worlder and I to leave you and the reindeer a full things in Ms. Newby and treat! Merry Christmas! Mrs. Mitchell's Pre-K class and made new friends. Will My name is Wyatt and I have her up, a Frozen 2 bike, and a Love, Heaven been a really good boy and for Christmas tree for my doll! I will Christmas I would like some leave you milk and cookies!

and a fire truck, I will leave reindeer some food. cookies and milk for you!

Barbie car, scooter, and a food trampoline. I will leave lots of Love, Nadiyah milk and cookies out for you. Dear Santa, Love, Addi Kate

cookies for Santa and carrots carrots for the reindeer. for your reindeer!

Mrs. Whitney's Class Dear Santa. 4wheeler, two tractors to pick tor on it. I'm going to leave you up dirt, and a dirt bike. I am go- and the reindeer a surprise. ing to leave you some milk and Love, Corbin lots of cookies.

Dear Santa, My name is Phoenix and I have f would like new shoes, race been on my best behavior all cars, a robot, a dog, Mario, and year, so for Christmas I would some headphones. I'm leaving mote control Spider-Man car, My name is Luke Bedsole and I a hoverboard, beyblades and a baby brother. I'll be sure to leave cookies and milk! Love, Phoenix Dear Santa,

I have been a very good boy I'm on your nice list! For Christthis year so for Christmas I mas I would like a new iPhone would like transformers, copcar, work boots. I will leave you seer truck, anything some yummy cookies and a glass of milk.

Dear Santa.

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Merry Christmas and a

**Blessed New Year** 

to each and everyone!

Dinah, Joseph, Gracie, Jacob,

Megan, Eden, Rachel, and Sierra

my cookies and leave fresh baby doll, unicorn, jewelry, and ou milk and cookies!

some dinosaurs, and lots of with lots of clothes. I am going to leave you cookies and milk and carrots for your reindeer.

am a very good girl and am al- year getting ready for Christways on my best behavior. For mas, I was thinking that since My name is Gatlin and I know leave you and the reindeer a ful things in Ms. Newby and Christmas this year I would like I've been such a good girl, I you've watched me all year so treat! Merry Christmas! a Baby Alive, kitchen play set, need a phone or tablet, pink make up, and lots of slime be- of course. I'd also like some ready! For Christmas this year cause slime is my favorite! I'll babies and princesses to play I would like lots of Paw Patrol Dear Santa,

My name is Heaven Bell and I Love, Gatlin been the absolute best girl mas this year, I would love to

year. Some things I would like ies for your trip back home! My name is Haven and I have this Christmas are Spider Man been on my very best behav- toys, and a spider man jacket, ior this year so for Christmas a toy gun, and a Pikachu. I'm I would like a mermaid tail, leaving cookies for you and I'm princess clothes, princess tialso leaving the reindeer food. ara, and a tablet. I'll make sure Love, Mason

year and I would like a mon- cookiest ster truck, robot, hammer like My name is Josiah and I have my daddy. I've been doing my been a good boy this year so very best at school, because I 3 years old and have been a for Christmas I would like hot know you're always watching. wheels cars, dinosaur figures, I'm going to leave you and the

have been super nice this year! My name is Addi Kate and I For Christmas I would love to have been on my very best be- have a kitchen set, house, car, havior this year! For Christmas bike, Elsa board, bracelet, and

years old. As you already know you. My name is Lily Kate and I am I have been a good girl this year Love, Summer a very good girl! For Christmas so for Christmas I would like would like Peppa pig toys, some Barbie's, and airplane, a Dear Santa, scooter. I will leave milk and you milk and cookies and juicy Love, Elizabeth

It's Corbin! Thank you for Love, Tobi all the really nice things you My name is TJ and I am four pears old. I've been very good for Christmas I would really like this year and some things a monster truck, a zebra, some I'd like for Christmas are a clothes, and a shirt with a trac-

I've been on the nice list all me and Nova. year! This year for Christmas like for you to bring me a re vou milk and the reindeer nice ig carrots.

> behavior this year, so I'm sure a web redupp or YouTube, a the tan and new sneakers ite .e. it.in fast Love, Jaxson

Dear Santa, My name is Adalyn and I have My name is JD and I'm four Love, Ja'leigha been such a good girl this girl years old and have been on my and for Christmas I would like best behavior this year. Some a light up baby, some shoes, things I would like for Christmas are a batman robot, robo dog, dino patroller, batman car,

a new kitchen, a reborn baby, mighty pup lookout tower, and ful things in Ms. Newby and Mrs. Mitchell's Pre-K class My name is Hailey Berry and some sequin flip shirts, and a a few surprises. I am going to Mrs. Mitchell's Pre-K class and and made new friends. Will leave you a big glass of milk made new friends. Will you you please bring me a slime and lots of cookies, the rein- please bring me some Mickey maker? I'll be sure to leave you deer will get a nice treat too! and the reindeer a treat! Merry Christmas! Christmas!

Joseph Allen

Christmas!

have been such a good girl this Dear Santa, year! A few things that I would I've been good this year. carrots for all of your reindeer! anything JoJo Siwa! I'll leave to have under my tree this I've learned lots of wonder- ful things in Ms. Newby and trampoline! I'll be sure to leave made new friends. Will you please bring me a phone? you lots of milk and cookies.

creature figures, nerf guns, and to bring me a game, a motor- toy dog with a house for him to I'm Shadyn and I have stayed Giavannah Cowan tractors. I will leave you cook- cycle, anything Spider-Man, sleep in, and American Girl doll on the nice list all year! For Christmas this year I would Dear Santa, baby doll, clothes, and shoes. I've learned lots of wonder- please bring me Elsa? promise to leave you yummy ful things in Ms. Newby and Katelyn Stinson milk and cookies! Love, Shadyn

> you know I'm on the nice list al- Kendrick Dear and a race car! I'm leaving you I've learned lots of wonder- treat! Merry Christmas! cookies and milk and the rein- ful things in Ms. Newby and LaMarkus Virghes deer are getting carrots.

Dear Santa, would like a stuffed Minnie Mouse, tons of yoo-hoos, a Dear Santa, trampoline, and something for I'm Mason and I am four years my brand new baby sister! I will old! I've been very nice this leave you lots of milk and cook- ful things in Ms. Newby and Sophia Hanchey Love, Elizabeth

My name is Marshaun and I the reindeer a treat! Merry have been such a good boy all year long! For Christmas this year I would like Ryans World toys, Magna-Tiles a bike, and a Dear Santa, Love, Marshaun

Mrs. Kelsey's Class Dear Santa, My name is CJ and I have been such a good boy this year, but I'm sure you already know that because you see everything Hey Santa! I'm Nadiyah and I that I do! For Christmas this year I would like big wreckers, a tow truck, and race cars.

Love, CJ Dear Santa, My name is Evan and I have this year I would really love if a fishing pole. I'm leaving you My name is Summer and I Mrs. Mitchell's Pre-K class and you could bring me a baby doll, cookies and the reindeer some a Barbie car, scooter, and a food have been a very good girl this made new friends. Will you Dear Santa, wear so for Christmas I would please bring me a DVD player I've been good this year. Will ike a baby doll, bicycle, Frozen doll, and kitchen set. I'll leave to leave you and the reindeer a I'm Elizabeth and I am four lots of milk and cookies out for treat! Merry Christmas!

> Elsa bike, Baby Kimber just box of Legos, and some baby I'm so excited for Christmas! I'd I've learned lots of wonder-like my friend like Riley, and a dolls. I will make sure to leave love for you to surprise me with ful things in Ms. Newby and see all my presents!

> > Dear Santa, that I really like cars and dinosaurs! I'd also like a tablet and Paw Patrol stuff for my room. can't wait to see what you bring

Dear Santa. I have been such a good boy this year so for Christmas would like a motorcycle, 4wheeler, work boots like Layken's and a kitty cat. I will leave milk and cookies for you I have been on my very best and lots of carrots for the rein-Love, Keaton

My name is Ja'leigha and I have been a very good girl this year! For Christmas this year I would like a pink and purple bike, new hair bows, and shoes! I'll leave you cookies and milk! Elba Elementary School

Newby and Mitchell - Pre-K Dear Santa, I've been good this year. I've earned lots of wonder-

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stuff? I'll be sure to leave you and the reindeer a treat! Merry Shelbie Maddox

Dear Santa, I've been good this year. I've learned lots of wonder-Christmas are a bicycle, baby ful things in Ms. Newby and Mrs. Mitchell's Pre-K class and dolls, baby doll clothes, and a Mrs. Mitchell's Pre-K class and made new friends. Will you please bring me some Minnie A'Nyzah Daniels stuff? I'll be sure to leave you

and the reindeer a treat! Merry Dear Santa, I've been good this year. I've learned lots of wonderful things in Ms. Newby and Mrs. Mitchell's Pre-K class and like a bike, a kitchen set, a I've been good this year, made new friends. Will you

Mrs. Mitchell's Pre-K class and made new friends. Will you Dear Santa,

I've learned lots of wonder- treat! Merry Christmas! Mrs. Mitchell's Pre-K class and made new friends. Will

I'll be sure to leave you and Christmas! Payton Brown

I have been extra good this tablet! I will leave you milk and I've been good this year, and the reindeer a treat! Merry I've learned lots of wonderful things in Ms. Newby and Zyla Sordo Mrs. Mitchell's Pre-K class and made new friends. Will castle? I'll be sure to leave you and the reindeer a treat! Merry Christmas! Ivonah Simmons

I've been good this year. I've learned lots of wonderful things in Ms. Newby and Lynnaya Gulley in my mama's car? I'll be sure you please bring me a new Colins Half

I've been good this year. love for you to surprise me with ful things in Ms. Newby and I've been good this year. Will Spiderman toys and clothes! | Mrs. Mitchell's Pre-K class love Legos, Cat Boy cars, trac- and made new friends. Will tors, and I think an Owlet would be super cool! I can't wait to McQueen? I'll be sure to leave deer a treat! Merry Christmas! you and the reindeer a treat! Mrs. Mitchell. Merry Christmas! Kameron Henderson

Hi Santa! I've been such a Dear Santa, good boy this year! For Christ- I've been good this year. mas I'd really like a puppy, but I've learned lots of wonderif you don't think mom will like ful things in Ms. Newby and

please bring me some lipstick I've been good this year. and nail polish? I'll be sure to I've learned lots of wonder-Mrs. Mitchell's Pre-K class and made new friends. Will you please bring me a Spiderman remote control car? I'll be sure toys, a robot movie, clothes, I've been good this year. to leave you and the reindeer a Mrs. Mitchell's Pre-K class

and made new friends. Will Dear Santa, you please bring me a Minnie I've been good this year. Mouse kitchen set? I'll be sure I've learned lots of wonderyou please bring me a boy American Doll? I'll be sure to I've been good this year. leave you and the reindeer a

you please bring me a castle? I've been good this year. I've learned lots of wonderful things in Ms. Newby and Mrs. Mitchell's Pre-K class and made new friends. Will you please bring me a real kitty? I'll be sure to leave you

you please bring me a Frozen I've been good this year. I've learned lots of wonderful things in Ms. Newby and Mrs. Mitchell's Pre-K class and made new friends. Will you please bring me a lot of makeup? I'll be sure to leave you and the reindeer a treat! Merry Christmas!

Dodge Durango with a sunroof? I'll be sure to leave you and the reindeer a treat! Merry Ms. Newby

Dear Santa, you please bring me a truck load of Milo's sweet tea? I'll be







#### Elba Pre-K 2 Class

I've been really good this year. I've learned so many wonderful things and made a lot of new friends in Pre-K. Will you tablet? please bring me a monster Christian Warren truck, phone, and TV? Konnor Beck

Dear Santa, I've been really good this year. I've learned so many wonderful things and made a lot of new friends in Pre-K. Will you please bring me a lot of stuffed animals, squeaky car, and pacman video game? Ben Casey

Dear Santa, I've been really good this year. I've learned so many wonderful things and made a lot of new friends in Pre-K. Will you please bring me Barbie dolls, TV, and Mickey Mouse? Payton Edwards

Dear Santa, I've been really good this year. I've learned so many wonderful things and made a lot of new friends in Pre-K. Will you please bring me a Barbie house, TV, and tablet? K'Angel Hill

I've been really good this year. I've learned so many wonderful things and made a lot of new friends in Pre-K. Will you please bring me a phone, monster truck, and tablet? Ri'shad Hill

Dear Santa, I've been really good this year. I've learned so many wonderful things and made a lot of new friends in Pre-K. Will you please bring me a Batman video, cartoons to watch, and a squirrel that climbs the tree? Maggie Hunt

I've been really good this year. and a hoverboard, I will leave I've learned so many won- carrots for your reindeer and derful things and made a lot Christmas cookies for you. of new friends in Pre-K. Will Love, Christopher you please bring me clothes, Barbie's, and a Barbie dream house?

Dear Santa, I've been really good this year. I've learned so many wonderplease bring me a TV, Barbie doll, and big Barbie house? OnnaLeigh Parrish

I've been really good this year. I've learned so many wonderful things and made a lot of new friends in Pre-K. Will you please bring me new cars, Love, Mayvis Marshall Paw Patrol, and a

I've been really good this year. I've learned so many wonderful things and made a lot of new friends in Pre-K. Will you please bring me a phone,

**Elba Elementary School** Lambert - Kindergarten Dear Santa,

Barbie car, and TV?

am wishing for a Barbie House, a Rainbow, a Bicycle, and a Barbie. I will leave you a rainbow. Love, Nevaeh

Dear Santa. I am wishing for two teddy bears, a Barbie Dreamhouse, and video game, two Spongebob Toys, and a school. I will bake you cookies Love, Lillian

Dear Santa, I am wishing for a phone, a trampoline, a bicycle, and a hover board. I will leave you chocolate cookies. Love, Noelle

a phone, a hoverboard, and a that will make you stronger and carrots for your reindeer. some candy for your reindeer. Love, Oakleigh

I am wishing for a hoverboard, a TV, a dog, and a piano. I will leave a phone for you. Love, Ri'Lee

I am wishing for games, a microphone, a trampoline,

I am wishing for a robot, a remote, and some ice cream. I am sorry, but I ate all of your

Dear Santa, I am wishing for a truck, a toy monster truck, a microphone, new friends in Pre-K. Will you milk and cookles, and I will up, bee nice to my friends, leave carrots for your reindeer. shared my toys with friends. Love, Jase

> necklace. I hope you enjoy the I am wishing for a baby, a tree cookies and milk! house, a puppy, and a cat. I will leave you Reindeer cook-Love, Nevaen Burks ies, and some grass for your Dear Santa,

Dear Santa,

the cookies and milk!

year! I have done these nice

t have been very good this

things: clean up my room, helped a friend, feed my pets.

My Christmas wishes are: a

Love, EvaMarie Faith Bowers

momma cook, been nice to

elevator, Elf, a toy phone. I

things: cleaning up my room,

wishes are: bike, Spiderman

you enjoy the cookies and milk.

the floor, clean the bathroom

Love, Nicholas Burks

cookies and milk.

Love, Daimontae

the cookies and milk.

Love, Gracy Sanders

Dear Santa,

and milk!

Love, Haley Watson

year! I have done these nice

Love, Kylee

I am wishing for a snowman, Christmas wishes are: baby a baby doll, and a Barbie Dreamhouse, I will leave you a baby doll and a bicycle.

I am wishing for a red truck, binoculars, a toy, and a toy tiger. I will leave you Christmas

I am wishing for a RC car, a and milk. treehouse, a video game, and Love, Brielle Flowers an action figure. I will leave you presents, milk and rein-

I am wishing for a chocolate Christmas wishes are: I wish toy, a toy dog, a bicycle, and for a LOL doll, LOL house, and a Barbie Dreamhouse. I will leave you Tree cookies, Santa the cookies and milk. cookies, Elf cookies, and Love, Hahazen Cupcakes. I will leave reindeer food and milk for your reindeer. Love, Ivory

I am wishing for a witch costume, a piano, a fire pit, a truck, i am wishing for a trampoline, and a school house. I will leave you a smiley face and a prestiger. I will leave you cookies ent. and i will leave you some and a pink car that I can drive. Love, Josiah

> I am wishing for a ball, a LOL house, a LOL bike, and some LOL dolls. I will leave you a

Love, Katelynn Elba Elementary Capps - Kindergarten

I have been very good this year! I have done these nice things: helped mom around the house, helped dad outside, and done my chores when asked. My Christmas wishes are: Army remote control tank that shots bullets, Avengers play station game, and a construction set. I hope you enjoy the cookies and milk! Love, Brodie

I have been very good this vear! I have done things: helped my nana after her surgery, kept my room clean, and been nice to my family. My Christmas wishes are: an ATV, Basketball goal, and a mini car. I hope you enjoy the cookies and milk! Love, Cameron Belcher

Dear Santa, I have been very good this year! I have done these nice things: made awesome grades, clean my room, and give my mom and granny lots of kisses. My Christmas wishes are: a baby doll house, a JoJo Siwa doll, and a kitchen play set with food. I hope you enjoy the cookies and milk! Love, Kyrian Hammonds

Dear Santa, I have been very good this year! I have done these nice things: help clean up, been a good friend, and say bless you when someone sneeze. My Christmas wishes are: I want a rainbow car, a scooter, and I want a lot of baby dolls. I hope you enjoy the cookies and milk! Love, Chancelyn Goosby

I have been very good this year! I have done these nice things: cleaned my room, helped mommy, and I helped put up the lights. My Christmas wishes are: little ponies, money, and candy. I hope you enjoy the cookies and milk! Love, Kara

ies and milk! Love, Alana Grace Adaway Elba Elementary School Weeks - Kindergarten I am 6 years old. I live in Elba. This year I have been really good. I would really like it if you could bring me cry baby. Thank you and Merry Christmas!

Love, Kaylynn Hodge

the shelf, dog, reborn baby

doll. I hope you enjoy the cook-



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I have been very good this I am 5 years old. I live in Elba. year! I have done these nice This year I have been really you could bring me Barbie and the car. Thank you and Merry Love, Hudson Parker My Christmas wishes are: Christmas! hoverboard, Barbie dolls, and Love, Olivia Reed

I am 5 years old, I live in Elba. This year I have been really good. I would really like it if you I have been very good this could bring me a robot. Thank year! I have done these nice you and Merry Christmas! things: listen to my teacher, Love, Bryceon Haynes-Larue and help my friends. My

alive, Barbie toddler dolls, and t am 5 years old. I live in Elba. make up set. I hope you enjoy This year I have been really good. I would really like it if you could bring me a boy baby doll. Thank you and Merry I have been very good this Love, Olivia Grantham

things: play with my sisters and wishes are: tablet, phone, good. I would really like it if you could bring me a skate board and dirt bike. Thank you and and Barbie dream house car. I hope you enjoy the cookies Merry Christmas! Love, Carter Kelley

Dear Santa, deer cookies, and I will leave I have been very good this I am 5 years old. I live in Elba your reindeer some carrots. I have done these nice This year I have been really I am 5 years old. I live in Elba. things: I help mom with the our good, I would really like it if tree, I calean my room, I learn you could bring me a real dirt how to write my name. My bike. Thank you and Merry Love, Jeremiah Prettyman a JoJo doll. I hope you enjoy

Dear Santa. I am 5 years old. I live in Elba. This year I have been really good. I would really like it if you could bring me a hoverboard. Thank you and Merry Christmas! Love, Madalynn Foster

baby and accessories crib stroller, unicorn shirt and skirt, I am 5 years old. I live in Elba. This year I have been I hope you enjoy the cookies really good. I would really like it if you could bring me a Santa Hat. Thank you and Merry Christmas!

I have been very good this year! I have done these nice things: been sweet, help I am 6 years old. I live in Elba. This year I have been really her (momma). My Christmas good. I would really like it if you wishes are: Barbié house with could bring me a baby sister and hover board. Thank you hope you enjoy the cookies and Merry Christmas! Love, Mariah Hines

Dear Santa. I am 5 years old. I live in Elba. I have been very good this year! I have done these nice This year I have been really good. I would really like it if you could bring me a car and hover board. Thank you and Merry help my mom with Christmas lights, play outside when my Christmas! mom tells me to. My Christmas Love, Camryn Edwards

toy, and a 4-wheeler. I hope I am 5 years old. I live in Elba. This year I have been really good. I would really like it if you could bring me a pink chair for I have been very good this Ruby. Thank you and Merry year! I have done these nice Christmas! things: I wash dishes, sweep Love, Bella Bane

My Christmas wishes are: headphones, four wheeler, and This year I have been really shoes. I hope you enjoy the good. I would really like it if you could bring me a race car. Thank you and Merry Love, Gabriel Stinson

I have been very good this year! I have done these nice Dear Santa, would love some puzzles things: kept my room clean, help mama with laundry, help because that is my favorite teach my baby sister to walk. thing to do at school. Also, please bring me a computer and lots of cars that make My Christmas wishes are: microphone so I can sing, babydoll, TV. I hope you enjoy noises. And I could always use some more dinosaurs please! Love, Cameryn McKay

I have been very good this year! I have done these nice I really love the cars I play with at school. I'm also really good at building the race tracks that things: following directions, go with them. I'd love to have cleaning up, being nice. My my own set. Christmas wishes are: Elf on Love, Kevin Sanders

> Elba Elementary O'Neal - First Grade I think I hav bin a good girl this yir. I would like a LOL pet, huvr burd, legos, plae haws, sno globe. Thank you Santa! Love, Aaniyah Hooten

I think i have bin a good boy dots in Mrs. Newell's class. this yer. I would like a red helped my grandparents check tablit, nrf gun, fish, little robot skatebrd, littl snoglob. Thank Love, Kip Brunson

Dear Santa, I think i have bin a good boy this year. I would like a dragon, to megoludon. Thankyou Santa! Love, Samuel Zayala

Dear Santa, I think I have bin a good girl this year. I would like a LOL pets, and LOL dolls and a fisety pet and a scooder and a toy chedea and a swiming pole and toy fox. Thank you Santa! Love, Teagan Smith

Dear Santa, I thank i have ben a good girl this year. I would like a tabilit, and a LOL, thank you Santa! Love, Laila Gulley

I think I hav ben a good girl this year. I would like Ipses, swimin polls, tlabit, LOLL dols. Thank you Santa! Love, Kacie Crawley

I think I have ben a good boy this year, I wood like pet, kichn ful things and made a lot of and a bicycle. I will leave you things; helped my mama clean good. I would really like it if cars, trucks, and legos. Thank

> I thiuk I have ben a good boy this yer, I wud would guitar, turtle. Thank you Santa! Love, Joshua Givens

I think I have ben a good boy this year. I would like a cichin, Thank you Santa. Love, River Morgan

I thinnk i hav bin a good girl this er. I wuld like LOI pets, toy whale, toy dohpin, and a dog. Thank you Santa! Love, Raelynn Davis

I think i hav bin a good boy this yere. I wood like a atchin figr. Thank you Santa! Love, Jack Burk

I thanc i hav bin a good boy this yer. I would like a toy car. Thank you Santa! Love, Ian Jiminez

I thank I hav bin a good girl this yer. I would like a LOL doll, tablet, LOL sno globe, new LOL mask, a new citin. Thack you Santa! Love, Daisy Hammett

I think I hav bin a good boy this yer. I would like dinosor. Thank you Santa! Love, Isaiah Cole

Elba Elementary Newell - First Grade

Dear Santa. I have been very good this year I have had many green dots in Mrs. Newell's class. I helped my parents wash the truck. For Christmas I would like a DS. Thank you Merry Christmas.

Dear Santa, have been very good this year I have had many green dots in Mrs. Newell's class. I helped my parents set up the bounce house. For Christmas I would like a Christmas mask. Thank you and Merry Christmas!

I have been very good this year. I have had many green dots in Mrs. Newells class. i helped my sisters clened house. For Christmas I would like a football. Thank you and Merry Christmas! Love, La'Darius

Dear Santa I have been very good this year. I have had many green dots in Mrs. Newell's class. I helped my friend get his four wheelr out of the mud. For Christmas i would like a tablet. Love, Colton

I have been very good this year. I have had many green dots in Mrs. Newell's class. I helped my sister take down my little sisters hair. For Christmas I would like a LOL house. Thank you and Merry Christmas. Love, Bray

Dear Santa, I have been very good this year. I have had many green dots in Mrs. Newell's class. I helped my brother sweep the room. For Christmas I would like a Jersey. Thank you and Merry Christmas. Love, Ayden

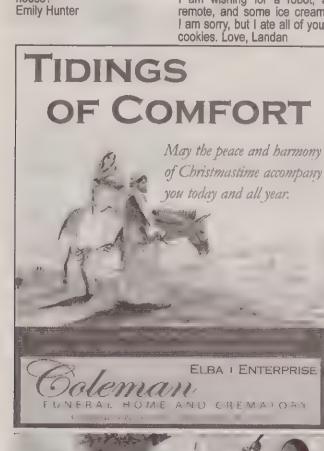
Dear Santa, I have been very good this year. I have had many green dots in Mrs. Newell's class. I helped my friend clean the room. For Christmas I would like a bike. Thank you and Merry Christmas. Love, Matthew

Dear Santa. I have been very good this year. I have had many green helped my grandparents check on the cows. For Christmas I would like a Baskball. Thank you and Merry Christmas. Love, AJ

Dear Santa, I have been very good this year. I have had many green dots in Mrs. Newell's class. helped my parents clean the house and put up the tree. For Christmas I would like a spider and phone. Merry Christmas! Love, Kaitlyn

Dear Santa, I have been very good this year. I have had many green dots in Mrs. Newell's class. I helped my brother. For Christmas I would like a bike. Thank you and Merry Christmas! Love, Messiah

Dear Santa, I have been very good this vear. I have had many green dots in Mrs. Newell's class. I helped my dad and gave he back rub. For Christmas I would like a train. Thank you and Merry Christmas! Love, Judith





Love, Rico Hill



Newell - 1st Grade (con't) Dear Santa,

I have been very good this year. I have had many green dots in Mrs. Newell's class. I helped my mom get the apples. For Christmas I would like a dog. Thank you and Merry Christmas! Love, Austin

I have been very good this year. I have had many green dots in Mrs. Newell's class. I helped my friend put the crism tree. For Christmas I would like a LOL house and bike. Thank

you. From Mercedez

**Elba Elementary** Johnson - First Grade Dear Santa,

I hav bene a nise girl. I wuood Dear Santa, like a zippe zak, and a lazr gun and a set uv wizard of oz figyr. I will lev you some millk and cuoocez and mare Chrismas. Love, Nadia White

haose. I will lev you som milk a tablet. and kokisv. Love, Cassidy Warren

the best! I will leve you some Elijah glue to fix broke toys. Love, Jacen Mitchell

lev you sum kokes and milk. Love, Aspyn Hataway

Dear Santa, I hav bin a nis girl. I wot cande Dear Santa, toes. I will leve you a note at the Christmas tree. Love, Laklyn Oglesby

like a hover board and a tablet. Thank you for braning toys and will leve milk and cukey. Mere Love, Piper Love, Genesis Johnson

Dear Santa, I have been a good boy this year. I want a PS4 with some cool games. I also want some Love, Jace Poole

I hav bin a good girl. I would For Christmas I would like a like you to bring me a water gun and a toy elf for Christmas. I wile leve you some snankc. Love, Ken Tana Thomas

I bin a good girl. I wunt a shirt. would like an American Girl and a trampoline and a bike. I wil leve you some milk and cooks. Love, Caitlyn Pouncey

Dear Santa, I have ben a good boy. I wode like plushey cat, a nintendo like a huvrbord and a swing. Thank you for my toys. I will leve you sum milk and coces. Love, Justin Copeland

Dear Santa, I hav bin a good boy. I wil lev carseat. you sum ckue. I wud licke for you to bring me a pool for Love, Dallas McKav

Dear Santa, I hav bin a gud boy. Can you breng me a water gun and a lite sabr. I wil leve you sum cooecas and milck. Love, Evan Reed

I have bin a good boy. I wuid like a PS5. Santa I will git u Love, La'Niyah som priszut. I will git u some miwk and koges. Love, Antonio Hill

Celebrating the

we wish you every blessing. Thank you for being such kind customers and friends to us.

**Weeks Tire Store** 

Dealer For B.F. Goodrich & Michelin Tire

I have bin a gud boy. Can you bring me a tablet and a tebe ber. I wil leve u sum melk and

Dear Santa, I hav bin a good boy. I will like a a laptop. car and a gun. You are the best Your Friend, Kaiden Hall Santa! I will leve you sum crces and sum hot choclat. Love, Joshuel Brown

Dear Santa, I have bin a good girl. I wood like a toy pet and toys for my cat ella. I will leve you some milk and cooks. Love, Parrish Grantham

Elba Elementary Tolle Second Grade I would like a JoJo Sewa Bow, a JoJo dress and JoJo shoes. From, Khalece

For Christmas i want a plushy ginger bread man and plushy rudulph the red nose reindeer and plushy dog. From, Laysee

I want a trampuline, x box series, and a bunny. From, Julian

I want for Christmas an elf, a girl one. I would like an LOL I hav bene a nise girl. I wuood doll. I want 4 OMG dolls. I want like a OMG LOL barbi drim elf costume, LOL dolls 2, and From, Alayasia

For Christmas this year i would I have ben a good boy. I would like a light saber, Ryans's egg, like a PS4 and PS5. You are and the sword in Link's video.

that you are real and I love you so much Love, Alamyiah Edwards.

for Christmas. Love, Alaysia

I have been a good girl. I would All I want for Christmas is surprises. That is all I will like for Christmas this year.

> For Christmas I want some ty babys and some dinosaurs.

Dear Santa, Santa socks. I will leave you For Chsamas I would like a and the reindeer some milk, Nintendo; a trampolene; and Sincerly, Kiesyn

> basket ball, a Football, and Play Station 4. From, Christian

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year doll, furniture, and a kitchen for Love, Lily

Dear Santa, For Christmas this year I would switch, and a scooter.

Sincerly, Annabelle All I want for Christmas this year is a baby doll and boppy Love, Cate

Can I have for Christmas a phone, slime, books, LOL doll, and mittens? Love, Aaliyah

I want for Christmas a JoJo Siwa doll, dress, her dog BoBo. Her dogs clothes, an American girl doll, and a phone. I love

LOL, hoverboard, a mask Woodham - Second Grade Your Friend, London Burks

animal books.

ing soot.

Dear Santa. This is what I want for Christmas. I want a toy and Christmas. I want a American black shoe and white shoe and I want a black clothes girl doll horse stall and a and white clothes and I want American girl doll and a OMG doll. I want a OMG doll remixe and a OMG doll horse. Your Friend, Chloe Bobo

This is what I want for Christmas. I want Koomie Kreater Kit, Iphone 11 pro, a pet dog, \$1,000 cash, a chapter book, thumbhole clothes a mirmade tail, church shoes. Your Friend, Kylie Lott

Elba Elementary

Christmas. I want a phone, a bords. I want a mirmade swim-Your Friend, Kassidy Finnegan Your Friend, Lily Gray

Dear Santa, trane and a gater you no what Christmas. I want a iphone and I mene and I want a.r.t. you no what i mene a.r.t and some PS5, apple watch. more bunnys and chickns. Your Friend, Ella Newby

Christmas. I want a phone a nuf gun, and a tablit, and a and a apple watch and a JoJo elf, and a game with a mote Siwa huberburd and a Elf. Can control and I want some money you brange my sister a phone and a skatbord and a huvrbord. and a apple watchand can you Your Friend, Alisjaha Edwards brane my brothers a phone and a apple watch.

Dear Santa, Chrismas. Three dollrs, a huvr- and tublit bord, sniper, safeness from my Your Friend, Ander Vargas famaly and God. Your Friend, Jordan Wilkerson

Dear Santa, This is what I want for a real helmet. would like a phone and a Christmas. First, for Mahi I laptop, I know I been bad but want to give her a coler. I want I want it so badly I cant stop a glow in the dark. Pick my pop I hav bin a good grl. Can i hav dreaming about it. I want it so surprise wonsy, pick my pop sum slime and a toy elf. Thake bad. but some people think surprise huve bord. Secent, I you for brengen my toys. I win that you are not real but I think want a new pick my pop surprise phone. Your Friend, Rowhen Smith

This is what I want for and makup and paint for my I would like a phonics 12, a Christmas. I want a LOL house PS5, a computer, and clothes party, and a doll house, and dolls, and a LOL sprice, and Your Friend, Laycee Cherch

Dear Santa, I want a mini trampoline like the one i use at school. I also would like a big swing. That is my favorite thing to do. It makes me smile! Love, Braylen Hooten

This is what I want for Christmas. I want a Elf and a lpad and a cooking set and a

This is what I want for Another thing is a iphone 7. a PS4. I hope you have a sate Last thing I want is a mermade. ride in your sleigh. girl doll horse and a American I hope you have a safe ride in Love, Jacks

This is what I want for Christmas. | want \$10,000 dollers and a ipad and some

Your Friend, Devin Flowers Dear Santa, Dear Santa,

This is what i want for Is a hoverbord. Anoter thing is This is what I want for Christmas. I want two huvr- a smart whatch. Last thing is a

Dear Santa, Dear Santa, This year for Crismus. I want a This is what I want for I have been very good this a baby doll and a bike and a Your Friend, Kalinda Chism safe ride in your sleigh.

Dear Santa, This is what I want for Dear Santa, This is what I want for Christmas. I want a phone and I have been very good this I have been very good this Christmas I want a phone a nuf gun, and a tablit, and a year. One thing I want for year. One thing I want for a safe ride sleigh. Love, Paris

Your Friend, Kermari Magwood This is what I want for Christmas, I want million buck and nerf guns. I want a toolset This is what I want for and a toy knife. I want a phone

> This is what I want for Chrismas. I want an ipad and Your Friend, D'Anthony Mitchell

> Dear Santa, This is what I want for Christmas. I want for Chritmas a phone, ipad, xbox, PS4, three cats, a new bike, and ninety dollers. You Friend, Monty Sams

Elba Elementary Morrow - Second Grade Dear Santa,

I have been very good this year. One thing I want for Christmas is a new iphone 12. Another thing is 4 wheeler. The last thing I want is a play house, I hope you have sfae ride in your sleigh Love, Lillie Grace Hudson

Dear Santa, I have been very good for Christmas this year. One thing want for Christmas is hoverboard. Another thing I want is his. The last thing I want is

a two sunglasses and a kichen a safe ride in your sleigh. set and a mermaid.

phone. Hope you have a safe I hope you have a safe ride in sled ride. Love, Patience

year. One thing I want for Christa is footbil toys. Another thing is toys. I hope you have a

thing is LOL. The last thing I want is a bike. I hope you have

I have been very good this year. One thing I want is a new bike. Another thing is, perfume. The last thing I want is lotion. Love, Ashlyn

I have been very good this

year. One thing I want for I have been very good this Christmas is a Lego dinusor year. One thing I want for set. Another thing is hover Christmas is a smart watch. bord. The last thing I want is

Dear Santa,
I have been goob this year.
One thing I want for Christmas is xbox. Another thing, is four controlers. The last thing I want for Christmas is skabod and a baby alive and Love, Devin

I have been very good this year. One thing I want for Christmas is PS5. Another thing is iphone. The last thing I want is shoes. Love, Amari

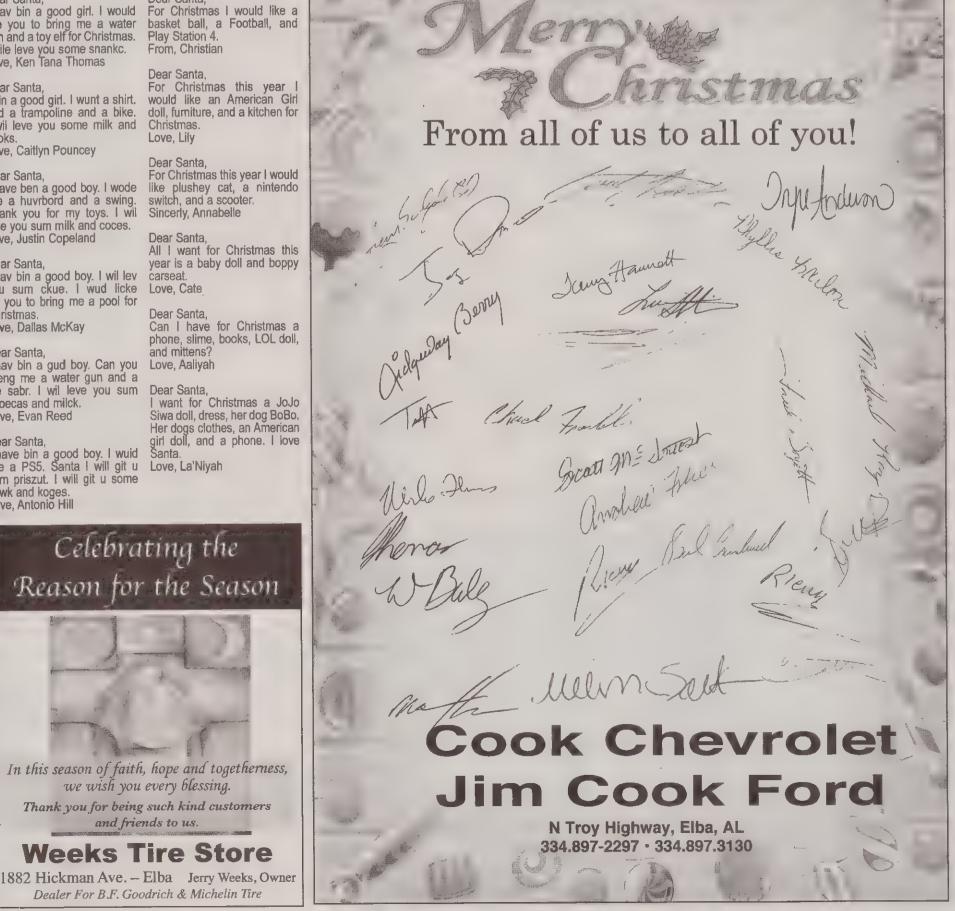
Dear Santa,

I want a yo-yo, PS4 games, pet hamster, and fingerting because I been good all year. I hope you have a safe ride in Love, Damon Ladon Brannon

Christmas is makeup. Anther thing is nail set. The last thing is a iphine 10. I hope you have a safe ride in your sleigh.







#### Elba Elem. (con't) Morrow - Second Grade

for Christmas is hoverbord. Another thing is beats from like call of duty coins and hot China. The last thing I would wheels. like is a ball pit. I hope you Thank you, my name is Javien Sincerely, Cooper H. have a safe ride in your sleigh. Crawford

bike. I hope you have a safe Thank you, Kimorian Lane

Love, Braylen is a bike. I hope you have a Dear Santa,

Dear Santa. I have been very good this year. Thank you, Alynea Palmer One thing I want for Christmas is a baby doll. Another thing is a toy boat. The last thing I want is a doll house. I hope you have a safe ride in your slegh. Love, Taytum

Davis - Third Grade

I have been very good this year. This year I would like dollars and a nerf gun and for everyone to be happy this Christmas for Christmas. I hope you have a great week and Christmas.

Thank you, Anabella Allen

I have been very good this phone please, a PS plus memyear. I would like a pistel-gun, musthing, Ghost rider, Nikeyblue shoes, Dukes of Hazzard Thank you, Decian Fitts joy ride truck, cristen car, durt bike, crome book, five nights of fred, play cars, skate board, ghost rider outfit, games for

Thank you, Zacarian Hooks

I have been very good this year. This year I would like a water proof kids smart watch (blue), a Nintendo switch, and a xbox game pass for Thank you, Zelda White

Dear Santa. I have been very good this nerf gun, phone, hot wheels, year. This year I would like a iphone 12 pro, BB gun, Mustang, Bey Blade.

Dear Santa, year. This year I would like a iphone 11, makeup, smart watch, and a tv.

Dear Santa, and a play house, and pool,

and computer. I am thankful for Christmas.

pods and 20 dollars and WWE

and bey blades. Thank you for Thx, Tre'Dyn Craighead Dear Santa.

OMG doll, Barbie, pampers, new shoes.

I have been very good this Sincerely, Oliviyah vear. This year I would like a new bike, LOL dolls, baby doll, and cute bikinis for Christmas.

Thank you, Mary James Dear Santa, and the new PS5 and I would

Dear Santa. Dear Santa, I have been very good this and clothes and shoes and have been very good this year. I would like PS5, spi- a iphone 12 and a bee bee One thing I want for Christmas der man game, another game

I have been very good this year. This year I would like a I have been very good this year. color pencil and a robot and a cup and a computer.

> I have been very good this call of duty points. year. This year I would like a Sincerely, Hank big pool, hoverboard, iphone for Christmas.

Dear Santa, I have been very good this dear santa. year. This year I would like a PS5, a new phone. I will like some guns and black ops. Thank you, Chase Coleman

I have been very good. I would like a hoverboard and a billion some black panther claws. Thank you, Jackson Adaway

Dear Santa I have been very good this ear. This year I would like a PS5 please, a new headbership plz, a new phone for Christmas!

I have been very good this Dear Santa, mask, gear for Christmas. Thank you, Zander Maddox

Wilson - Third Grade I want a new iphone and a charger to my dirt bike and Love, Elijah Burks

Dear Santa,

Some car thing, car play set,

Dear Santa,

This is what I want for spiderman riding toy, and a I am wishing for a pet, elf, competer and a puppy.

Love, Camille I want a PS5, smart watch, drums, punching bag, hover board, horse, lego set, model car, minecraft, call of duty, infnant warfar, gta 6, bacan, resling figs, dirt bike, lego mini figers, a race car games, BMX bike, pro scooter, finger shoos, pro finger board, pro finger

Sincerely, Brayson Dear Santa, I want a entendow swich, and a PS4 and PS5 and a xbox 360 and a xbox one and a pet shark and a biger crismas tree. Dear Santa,

scooter.

Sincerely, Cameron Crawley Dear Santa, I have been very good this nentendo swich. year and what I really want Sincerely, Malachi White for Chrismas is a JoJo hoverboard, LOL remis doll, iphone Dear Santa, eleven, beat boxer.

Sincerely, Aubriana and a natindoe and a play stashon and a lot of make up.

I wont a pushing bag and a Wood Thank you, my name is Kymara grum set and a miecraft sord, and a jeb-toy sheep, and a fornit ar and a shot gun and a nethr rit rmr. I have been very good this Sincerely, Colin

year. This year I would like Dear Santa, iphone 12 pro max, xbox series For Crismus I want a cotx, nerf gun (ar), gaming pc, for ton cady macien and a ipad,

Thank you, Jayse Williams

popcorn different flavors. I want a booster box of I would love a nutcracker. poke'mon cards, darkness Love, Remington Branum ablaze, pS5 with fortnite instaled, 100,000 v-bucks, fort-I have been very good this I have been very good this nite, nerf guns, hover board year. One thing I would like year. I would like v-bucks, with LEDs and blue tooth,

monoter keyboard and mouse. labtop, gaming chair, LED's, I-phone 1-, real snow outside. Dear Santa I want a bike, a hoverbrod,

iphone eleven and what i relly

want is my family to meet you.

I hope so and a computer, and

gun and a eltreck scooter thats blue and a dog and a popcorn ball with bath bombs, a beauty machain. A ipad and I want a salon with hair and makeup paint gun, a laser gun, and a stuff, and also paint and markbig thing of markers and a big ers. hing of pencils and a PS5. Sincerely, Taiwan Hooks

I want a punching bag, drone, PS5, voice changer, a new hover board, iphone 12, 5 100 v-bucks cars and \$100 worth of

Dear Santa, I want a PS5 and Aubron hamat and pitbull dog and big house, and iphone 12 pro max Sincerely, Zamerian Johnson

What I want for Christmas I want a makeup sektion and a iphone 11 and a magic I would love a shark toy, power won, Barbies, airplane for the Barbies. Piano and a book and a phone with internet, a happy family that because love them, and a dream house ana comperter. Love, Xochilt

Dear Santa, I want two gift cards and a PS5 with fortnite and nimecraft, gta 5, dog. I want among us hacks and a bike, dirt bike and my Sincerely, Jeremiah

year. This year I would like a This year I want PS5, among plastion 5, fake sword, new us kits, fort nite packs, spiderman PS4 game, \$1,000 apple cash, dirt bike, stone age kit, wolvenne gloves, moving fin- Love, Hadley Pettis gers in infinte gauntlet, giunea pig carrier.

Sincerely, Lane Morgan

Dear Santa, want a phone. Sincerely, Lauryn

Sincerely, Mya

slides, and iphone 6 and other one just ripped. clothes and shoes and christ- Love, Jagger Wiggins mas decor, and a pet cat or a puppy and a toys and a giant Dear Santa. teacher and candy and masks Laboratory, PJ Mask HQ. and thats all.

Dear Santa. I been relly good this yea. What I want for this year is a iphone, tablet, hatchamote, treehouse, two more cats because two of my cats died, playground, pool, friends, fish, my own room, toys, dress, candy, books, tv, artset with paint.

Love, Eden Stuart I want a to get a skatebored. nuf guns, and play stashn,

I want a nail set and I want a iphone 12 pro max, and i want Dear Santa, shoes and clothes and a new I want iphone 12 and a puppy house and I want a macbook pro max and I want a ipad pro max. I love you Santa Claus you make me smile everyday Santa Claus. Sincerely, Princess Renea From Karlee McKenzie

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Dear Santa, I have been good. I would From, Emily Kilcrease

love Shopkins, stuffed bunny, \$2.00, camo clothes, "a toy of Barbie Dream House. From, Paisley-Kate Disotell

I would love a scooter, monster trucks, a ultra nerf gun and a parachute.

Kinston School

me", stuffed dog.

Dear Santa.

Love, Hadley Dean

Clark - Pre-K Class

I would love a drum set, slime,

I would love a L.O.L. surprise Love, Ande

Dear Santa. I would love Paint Mario Skeleton Bowser, and Metal Mario. Love, Ascher Davis

Dear Santa. I would love toy house, kitchen with food, clothes, play house Barbie dolls, candy, and stuffed animals Love, Wren Hattaway

Dear Santa I would love make-up, Bicycle, Slime, Toy Cart, Toy dog, and Love, Elena C Holley Dear Santa ranger toy and lots more pres-

Dear Santa. I would love a unicorn toy.

Love, Andrew

Dear Santa,

I would love trucks that dig in Dear Santa, the mud, and a four wheeler. Love, Bentley Mims

snake Love, Ryder

Dear Santa, a house

Dear Santa. I would love puppy, paw patrol, power ranger. Love, Britt

I would love a launching ara-Christmas, LED lights, uff new trampoline because the

hersey and a tableit and a new I would love PJ Mask Air Jet shoool supplies and gift for with launcher, Romeo's Flying Love, Owen Phillips

> Kinston School Elmore - Kindergarten I would like to ask for a fluffy puppy named Ruffles, a Baby Alive, red Dorothy shoes, and a Skipper Barbie doll. Love, Lennon Cowen

> Dear Santa I am wishing for a nerf gun, boots, monster truck, and Star Wars game.

I am wishing for a Tackle, Dino. Deer, and Jersey. From Riley Phillips

From, Liam Sperhake

some candy and some new I am wishing for a bike, basketball, hammock, and toy car. From, Luke Branum

I am wishing for a unicom, fishing pole, slime, and bike.

I am wishing for a guitar, water gun, robot shark, and nerf gun. From, Zachary McAdams

I am wishing for a mini play Kinston School microwave, set of black walkie-talkies, Barbie clothes, and

truck, Switch lite, watch, and Mario Kart Track.

Dear Santa, I am wishing for a Switch lite. watch, Nail Salon, and JoJo Siwa Boom box. From, Adee Clair Patterson

From. Corbitt Patterson

Rex, Jaws Boat, Gyroshpere, and Building Blocks. From, Jakin Adcock

Dear Santa am wishing for monster trucks, art set, playhouse, and stained glass set. From, Karsyn Wise

nails, baby doll, and Ipod. From, Lynlee Camley I am wishing for cow trailer,

I am wishing for makeup, sharp

tractor, red truck and hay forks. From, Chris From, Rhett Hawthorne I am wishing for makeup, high

From, Zendara Tankersley I am wishing for a cry baby, JoJo Bow, Flag, and paint

From, Hadlee Anderson

markers.

heels, clothes, and shoes.

Dear Santa, I am wishing for a fishing pole, tackle box, tablet, and toys. From, Coiten Whaley I am wishing for baby food, cry baby, balloon dog, and gym.

From, Londyn Champion I would love a remote control Kinston School S. Weeks - Kindergarten

I am wishing for a tractor, tobi smart watch, remote control I would love a pink jeep and helicopter, and remote control From, Woodrow

> I am wishing for a Barbie been nice. What I'd like most: Dream House, Happy Napper, Barbie Camper, and Baby Love, Alaynah Agan Duck.

From, Harper legos, and Marble run

From, Jud I am wishing for a bike, trampoline, doll, and shoes. From, Makayla

Dear Santa, I am wishing for Foxy, Golden Freddy, Lego playset, and Plushies.

From, Brodie Dear Santa, I am wishing for a Dinosaur game, Godzilla Toy, Dinosaur ride on toy, and Ipad.

From, River Martin Dear Santa, I am wishing for a RC Shark monster truck, Tractor with hayspear, toy pop gun, and Lego city race boat.

From. Blake I am wishing for a robot buz, police lego, Happy Napper,

and hoverboard. From, Carter I am wishing for lots of candy, Paw Patrol Jet, Hover Board,

and a train.

and Doggy.

From, Tyler Dear Santa, I am wishing for a Bracelet kit, Hover Board, Real Reindeer,

From, Stanley Wise am wishing for Paw Patrol Sea Patrol, Paw Patrol mighty pups, my size lookout tower, Dino rescue headquarters.

From, Caisu Slay

I am wishing for a Hover Board, Alexa Bike, 4-wheeler, and markers. From, Ansley

puppy, playkitchen, play wash- a baby pig, and a mom pig, Elf. er and dryer. From. Saylor

Dear Santa, am wishing for Transformers, toy race car, toy helicopter, and monster trucks. From, JP Norris

Dear Santa, am wishing for Tiger Piano, Skateboard, Glow in the Dark Rainbow, and Smart Watch. From, Jacob

Dear Santa, am wishing for Legos, a I am wishing for barbie dolls, Barbie, Tablet, and Paw Patrol. toy sponge bob, toy Patrick,

and toy queen barb. O'Neal - First Grade

I want 100. Skrafa lvs. From, Mya King

Dear Santa, I am wishing for the animal I want a sb lina bonile plushee and a fnaf toys and scoa bleach toys and fnaf 4 toys fled Ber plush nitemare foxy plush and nite mare band plush.

> Dear Santa. I want to have a real ring, a dress, brand noow ornament whith a hreat. From, Sadie

> Dear Santa, I want a puppy and a kittin for Christmas. From, Jacelyn

Dear Santa, I wot a cat. I wot a dog. I wot a Backback. From, Abi

For chrismis I wont a baby doll plees bring it. From, Presley

I want a security camera.

From, Lillie

Chuke Dol.

and people.

From, Addison

Dear Santa, I want toy, barbee. I want to have a puppee.

Dear Santa, I wunt a VR ad a big mistre

prezint From, Parker Dear Santa,

I want a drt bike. Red Sox

From, Colt Dear Santa. I want a pupeys. I want horsiss

Kinston School M. Jacobs - First Grade

Dear Santa, My parents will tell you I've been nice. What I'd like most: 2 ginger bread houses, 4 wheeler, candy, watch, and a phone. Love, Rayie Couey

Dear Santa. My parents will tell you I've

My parents will tell you I've been nice. What I'd like most: Bluey Box Pugg, Blu Controller, Red woch, ricin phone Love, Brody Norsworthy

Dear Santa, My parents will tell you I've been nice. What I'd like most: Dinser kit, viuline, kite, model kit, bike, and Xbox. Love, Grayson Lloyd Andrich

Dear Santa, My parents will tell you I've been nice. What I'd like most: barbie, babe, American Girl Doll, hoverboard, and Alexa.

Love, Aggie Busby My parents will tell you I've been nice. What I'd like most: Lego Yoshe, 4 footballs, Nagee Harris Jersey

Love, Harrison Wilks My parents will tell you I've been nice. What I'd like most: Kolr for Miny, trooly me, remote control car, checrdsh dos, sparkly blue dress, and

Sparkis to come back.

Love, Dayne Patterson

Love, Will Wise

Love, Brooklyn Beck

Love, Emma Jarrell Dear Santa My parents will tell you I've been nice. What I'd like most: Christmas toys, a pug, a faln, Harry Pottr toys, Adventures toys, X-Man toys.

Dear Santa My parents will tell you I've been nice. What I'd like most: snake, ratllsnake, spraying cradr Green magog, lizrd, Komodo dragon.

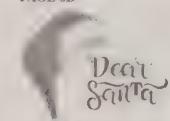
Dear Santa, My parents will tell you I've been nice. What I'd like most: silicon budy, tint, close, elf,

Dear Santa, My parents will tell you I've I am wishing for a bunny, a been nice. What I'd like most: Love, Sky Bradley

> My parents will tell you I've been naughty. What I'd like most: a new spidere with a remote control, a Barbe Doll Hosee, a kittin, a sparclee blue Boll gown, a phodo of Jayda, a frind 4 Alexa.

Bless you at Christmas

Love, Christine Day



is a iphone 12. Another thing is called ghost of tsushima. I a bike. The last thing is a drit want iphone 12 for Christmas.

ride in your sleigh. One thing I want for Christmas is a iphone 11. Another thing is Thank you, Brayden Stinson a laptop. The last thing I want

safe ride in your sleigh. Love, Mariah

**Elba Elementary** 

to bring me some toys and a phone and a tv for Christmas! Thank you, Madison Conner

Thank you, Jacquez Hill I have been very good this

Thank you, Ivyanna Adams I have been very good this year, I would like a iphone 2.

Thank you, Ta'niyah Arencibia I have been very good this year. I would like black air-

I have been very good this Sincerely, Karly ear. This year I would like

Thomas

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Kinston (con't) M. Jacobs - First Grade

Dear Santa, My parents will tell you I've been nice. What I'd like most: a biyk, cotin kiwty cuti, ribocun, neclis, bubul rap, boxis, slime, Alexa. Love, Lani Lambert

Dear Santa. Nintindo, PS4, PS5, Pokemon, big car, headphons, Pecichu. Love, Rhett Odom

swivel desk, pupp, school stuph, hoverboard, Alexa. Love, Emma Chestnut

My parents will tell you I've Dear Santa, been nice. What I'd like most: a relly cute baby doll, Baby Alive, Zeda American doll Love, Jayda Reid

My parents will tell you I've been nice. What I'd like most: Baby Yod, baby pug, Xbox, American girl doll, hover board, Love, Kaelyn Lee

Dear Santa. been nice. What I'd like most: Whit Spooly Shoos, checrd shoos, sparcley jres, clars gift com bak. Love, Aila Weeks

Kinston School Littleton - Second Grade

Dear Santa, I'm seven years old. I have a to us. How do you make all these good toys and put up with us. I would like a slide. I would like some candy. I want a guitar. I would like a chip for Love, Connor Dean quitar, I want a Nitendo. Your best friend, RyLeigh

a Xbox 1. Love, Westen

Dear Santa, I am 8 years old. I'm in 2nd grade. I've got a suggestion for your job. Maybe you should get more elfs. I have question for you. Do you ever brush your teeth after you eat cookies? I want a PS4, a goat. I also want a Demick Henry jersey. Your friend, Case

Dear Santa, I'm in 2nd grade. I'm 7 years old. I would like some ear muffs. Don't give me anything, I want a reindeer, guitar, socks, shirt, pants, long short, Christmas pj. Love, Kellan

Dear Santa, I love Dinosaurs. I also love my teacher. I wonder, have you ever seen Jingels steal candy. I have been good this year so want you to give me a earmuff because this class if loud. I want a Tua jersey. From, Luke Driggers

Dear Santa, I'm 8 years old and I'm in 2nd grade. I like dirt bikes and four wheelers. I wach t.v. and ride my bike. I want a dirt bike and a hatcet and a machete and a Michael Jorden basketball From, Cole

Dear Santa, I go to Kinston School. I am 7 years old. I was born in May 31 and I am in 2nd grade. My teacher is Mrs. Littleton Why cant we see you I really want to tach your elfs and your reindeer. Santa win is your birthday. I want a little kitten stuffed animal and a stuffed animal bear. And a new dog man book. I want a new lpad Your friend, Madison

Dear Santa I go to Kinston Skool. I love dogs and cats, and I love huvrbords and how are you. I em thaff for my felmey and evre thing I have and my techer and jingles and my frends. I have rely wanted a huvrbord and a treiplen and a tulbling bon.

Dear Santa, I like four wheeler and motorcycle. Red you riley real do you rily live in the north pole. I want a puppy for Christmas. From, Josey

Your friend, Paisley Wilson

I am 8 years old. I go to Kinston name Chippy. My teacher her EX and GX only and 50 big name Mrs. Littleton. I want for Christmas dirk bike robot santa cards 50 big V cards 50 small via wach, for Christmas. power wheel nitendo switch V cards evry thing different. pokemon card games basketball goal headphones kick base socker base. How is your Dear Santa, reindeer. How are you Santa. I've been good this year. want a new robot. I want a new jacket. I want some new boots. Love Chance

School. I'm in 2nd grade. I green please. Your friend, Mollie Mae

I have hover board, a drone, and a bike without training the elf stole candy he has tape around his mouth. From, Graclyn

I am 7 years old, but I have five more days until I am eight. Kowola, Lion toy, elf toy, and I would like to have an elf this year. My brother Zavory wants a four-wheeler he really had decided to be a Auburn fan Dear Santa, to ask this nice woman. How do you put up with all of the he wrapped his body and he look like? And want a girl elf apple wach for Christmas. taped his mouth. I have been a and two boy elvs so my brothgood student this year. I would ers and me can have a elf. I like some jeweiry. Love, Maliyah

Dear Santa. My parents will tell you I've I am 7 years old. How is Mrs. Dear Santa, it at the North Pole? I think it is great! Do you want me to Christmas - 1. Getting pres- Jones Jursey. ents 2. It is Jesus's birthday. I would like a Najee Harris jersey, Derrick Henry jersey, dirt bike, a chicken, bean bag chair, Pokemon collection, Saquon Barkly jersey, Drew nife. 22 rifel. Brees jersey, Devonta Smith Your friend, Layne

some sheeps for Christmas. I do my hornework. I am 8 I'm 8 years old. My teachvears old. I am in 2nd grade. er is named Mrs. Littleton. I have a great teacher. Is the want a dirtbike for Christmas. Dear Santa, reindeer rowdy? Does the Elfs | want a Mac Jones jersey eat to much candy? I want a and a Devonta Smith jersey. Devonta Smith jersey and a I want a hoverboard. I want them I want a lot of large card Michael Vick jersey. I want a a #19 on Alabama jersey. I like Garpedo. I want a lot of stack of Pokemon cards. I want want a basketball neckless GXes and Exes. for Christmas. I want nitendo Your Friend, Conner swich for Christmas. I want some pokemon cards. I want Dear Santa, Tua jersey for Christmas. I want a piano and a microphone for Christmas.

Love, Reid want a new phone for Chrismas. I would really apreashate it. My teacher is smart and she is teaching fun stuff and I like it. It's really fun. Our elf is getting kind a cray cray. How is it like at the North Pole is it warm some times? Send me a letter back. Your friend, Jaxon

I got a question for you! How do you make all the presents? It looks very hard to do. Santa, love Christmas so much because you made your holiday on Jesuses birthday! And we get to celebrate Christmas. We had a great year so far. I had not been to the North Pole but I really want to go, so I can see you. I want to see you very much and ride with you.

Love, Bella **Kinston School** Gibbs - Second Grade

I go to Kinston School. I am 8 years old. For Christmas is an huverbord. I wont so slime to. I wont so clothes for my babby. I wont a hachuml one of the big ones. I wont to go to the North Poll. I wont a biger class room. wont to go to the mowtains. Love, Ensley Kinsaul

I wood like a Babby born surprise swodoll pokemon bmden a barbe spar. Ps5. Your friend, Audrey

I am 8 years old. I go to Kinston School. I want some Art stuff for Christmas and a uncorn Your friend, Savannah

Dear Santa I want a Doc kit. Did you know that cave men are extinct? I knew that. Your friend, Gillian

Dear Santa want a drone, makeup set, high heels. I want some coloring books. I want pokemon card all G.X's and EX's I want paper and colors. Love, Kinsley

Dear Santa, I want a ipod! And pokemon ex and gx.

I want 20 100 pokmon card School. Do you know my elf boxes EX GX only and 15 gold Your friend, Brycen

> I wod like a Phone. Can please have a tablet. Can please have a drone. Can I please have a great year.

I'm 7 years old. I go to Kinston I am 8 years old and I like I have relly worked at being fortnite. Can I have poke'mon like to dance and watch t.v. cards. Can I have a binder How does your reindeer line for poke'mon card and fortnite. up? How many parts in your Can I have a RC car too. Can My parents will tell you I've sleigh? I want gymnast bars, I have a poke'mon jubo card. been nice. What I'd like most: green please. Can I have poke'mon gx cards.

> I wante 10 big pokemon cards. I want 2 gold poke cards. An 1

Letter was Not Signed

front teeth and I want a great nice to my family. Christmas and a wonderful Your friend, Abigale Chase time with my family. I have want everyone in my class to not get in truble.

Claus doing? How amazing is I would like a Pokemon Binder, VMAX, raindow card, ipad-air, Pokemon Pack like Jeru's, card, a crop top, for my fish to tell my favorite things about Go-cart, PS4, and a Julio Your friend, Shaw

Dear Santa, I want for Chirmas is a shot head band for Christmas. gun and a rifal and gx and ex Your friend, Grayce Chesteen I'm seven years old. I have a great teacher. She is so good Beckam Jr. jersey, Von Miller er and legos and a pokemon binder er and legos and a pokemon jersey, Bobbie Wagner jersey, tag teem PS4 and a pocket

> I want 4 tag team gx please 20.2 sniper rifle go cart four I go to Kinston School. I want wheeler nintindo swich ps5 poket knife BB sniper rifle Love, Brantlee

> > I want ham! I also want Pokemon cards because I like

I want a Binder of Pokemon cards. I am 7 and I'm in 2nd From, Britton

Dear Santa, I want a tablet a Lego Bate a gonbo Pack a bron for

Dear Santa want 100 pokemon cards. want 100 Dog man books. want 6 elvs win I get my new hous. I want 100,000 white and brown horses, I want a PS5. I want a art bord, I want a rill

**Kinston School** Jacobs - Third Grade

Dear Santa have worked hard being good this year. I would like to have my own bike, maro Nintendo games and a HUGE stuffed animal for Christmas Your friend, Levi Nicometo

Dear Santa have really worked hard at being good this year. I would like to have a clothes, and soral shen, and shoes. Your friend, Ana Harris

Dear Santa have really worked hard at being good this year. I would to have a LOLs, intendo swich with a Minecraft Disck, and Ps5 for Crismas.

Trusted

Choice

Dear Santa. I have really worked hard at and scisors, magnetic tiles, I have really worked hard at being good this year. I would being good this year. I would vacuum cleaner and paper. like to have a lol, huverbord, Thank You, Lainey Owsley and slime for Christmas. Your friend, Rayleigh Jones

I have really worked hard at

iphone 6 and a Kendall Gray

This year I have been naughty

This year I have been naughty

This year I have been nice.

Here is my Christmas Wish

Here is my Christmas Wish

List. I want a four wheeler and a skateboard, new trampoline.

trailer, truck, and a motor.

Thank You, Rhett

Dear Santa.

Zion Chapel School Nelson - Pre-K Class

Dear Santa

Alive. A trumpet.

Thank You, Anna Grace

Dear Santa, I have really worked hard at being good this year. I would being good this year. I would like to have a venom toy, ps5, Thank You, Bryce Abshire like to have a BB gun, iphone computer, for Christmas. 12, and playstation 4 for Your friend, Angelo Mulkey Christmas.

Your friend, Aidan Carefoot Dear Santa, being good this year. I would Dear Santa like to have a Batman Lego good this year. I would like to batcave, Jrissic World Legos, and Spiderman atchen figers have a Big hachable, swimfor Christmas. ming pool and new clous for Chrismas. Your friend, Taylor Kelley Your friend, Klara Stokes

Dear Santa, I have worked very hard at being good this year. I would being good this year. I would like to have a AR 15 BB gun, like to have a L.O.L. o.m.g. remix super surprise, a new orange knife. My parents will tell you I've wheels. I love my teacher she legnene chon uson. And 100 locket, and a real pet bird that your friend, Andrew Camley been nice. What I'd like most: is the best. Our class Elf is tied vmax pokemon. An 20 v poke- is trainded. I want a LOL thing up soldiers are all around him mon. An x box. An a basbol becase I like LOL's. I want a locket becase I lost mine that my grandma gave to me and I want the bird becase birds live forever, P.S. Can the bird and nice. Here is my Christmas I am in 2nd grade. I want be blue and trainded and loves a skate board and my two me and will stay with me and is with baby soap. A Baby Doll

Dear Santa,

Your friend, Jazzlynn

Dear Santa. your probly a Alabama fan I have really worked hard at This year I have been nice. Here is my Christmas Wish because your suit is red. I want being good this year. I would elves like Jingles he is crazy to know what your reindeers like to have a tobi, villin, and List, I want a Minnie Mouse. Thank You, Brinley Your friend, Brooklynn Rogers

> Dear Santa. I have worked hard at being and nice. Here is my Christmas good this year. I would like to Wish List. I want a tractor, List: Bluey, Robot, Hermie 4 have a goldren ratrevr, Huskey and crom book tuch skren for Thank You, Logan Christmas Your friend, Cason Moore

Dear Santa. I have really worked hard at List. I want a Robot. being good this year. I would like to have a new Junie B Jone book, earrings and an

I have really worked hard at New bounce house that wets. being good this year. I would Letter Not Signed like to have a Lab, Macbook, and a Mr. Beast shirt for Your friend, Lillee Kay Robbins

Dear Santa, have really worked hard at Thank You, Dalton White being good this year. I would like to have a baby bird, 1000 Dear Santa, robox on robloxs, the baby dog List. I want 5 drums and motor- Thank You, Hadlee I was tring to reskuw, please Your friend, Rileigh Ward Thank You, Dakota Sutley

Dear Santa, Dear Santa, I have really worked hard at Here is my Christmas Wish being good this year. I would List. I want balcom bumbee, dino shot blazer. like to have a football holder, 2 nintindo switches, dog for Thank You Santa, Sam Christmas Dear Santa,

Your friend, Tucker Tinsley Dear Santa, have really worked hard at being good this year. I would like to have a Ashton-Drake and car set and a hoverboard Your friend, Nevaeh Mack

Dear Santa have really worked hard at being good this year. I would like to have a Ashton-Drake Doll, Baby Diaper Bag, and a Baby Crib for Christmas. Your friend, Kennedy Owen

Dear Santa, I have really worked hard at being good this year. I would like to have a new dirt bike 110cc, Xbox, and tv for Your friend, William Smith

Dear Santa, I have really worked hard at being good this year. I would like a battle call Optimus. Bumbblebee, and Angry Bird Transformers toys. Your friend, Jaxson Stamp

Dear Santa, I have really worked hard at being good this year. I would like to have a toy train, roller skats, and garmen shepered dog (real dog) for Christmas. Your friend, Micah Hardin

Your friend, Alexia Johnston Wishing You Joy & Wonder

Here's hoping the magic of this holiday season brings out the kid in you!

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Dear Santa. Here is my Christmas Wish List. I want a car and a big old I have really worked hard at blue Polaris and a medium airplane and helicopter.

Dear Santa. Here is my Christmas Wish List. I want a robot, car puzzle, have really worked hard at and a motorcycle that's the perfect size and can fit me. Thanks, Kaiden McMillian

> **Zion Chapel School** Kilpatrick - Pre-K Class

Dear Santa, This year I have been naughty and nice. Here is my Christmas Wish List: legos, Taybees, Barbie, robot. Thank You, Charlotte

This year I have been naughty and nice. Here is my Christmas Wish List: watermelon, GoKart, Wobbly Man. Thank You, Roman

This year I have been nice. Here is my Christmas Wish List: Go Kart, Wobbly Man. Thank You, Case

This year I have been nice. Here is my Christmas Wish List: Doll, Llama, Pizza. Thank You, Aria

This year I have been nice. Here is my Christmas Wish wheeler.

Thank You, Kallen This year I have been naughty and nice. Here is my Christmas Wish List: doll, mermaid, robot, omaments.

Thank You, Morgan This year I have been nice. Dear Santa, This year I have been nice. Here is my Christmas Wish

Thank You, Coleston Dear Santa. This year I have been nice. Here is my Christmas Wish Here is my Christmas Wish List: BiBi Motorcycle and a List: game, toys.

lego House. I want a teeble Thank You, Jaxen This year I have been nice. Here is my Christmas Wish Here is my Christmas Wish List: slime, toys, doll.

> This year I have been nice. Here is my Christmas Wish List: slime, doll, snowball. Thank You, Stella

This year I have been nice. Here is my Christmas Wish List: Here is my Christmas Wish Lols, Slime, Doll, Snowball. List. Can I have some baby Thank You, Brynlee



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Zion Chapel (con't) Kilpatrick - Pre-K Class This year I have been nice. Her is my Christmas Wish List: Thank You, Elijah

Dear Santa, This year I have been naughty and nice, Here is my Christmas Wish List: Barbie, Mermaid. Thank You, Cecilia

This year I have been nice. Here is my Christmas Wish List: Barbie, Guinea Pig. Thank You, Ryleigh

Dear Santa, This year I have been naughty and nice. Here is my Christmas Wish List: 4 wheeler, Barble, Guinea Pig. Thank You, Kendra

Zion Chapel Carpenter - Kindergarten Dear Santa, want a dol. I want a cher. I want a tree. I want a dol haws

with stuf. I love you and the randeer. Love, Paige Burdeshaw

Dear Santa, want a creepy bobble head, a bunny, a alligator, hot weels, and money for my bubba and Love, Hayden Roten

Dear Santa. I want a small bicycle, art set, baby doll, and makeup set. Love, Gabi Moseley

Dear Santa, wuz good a lot. I love yu Santa Cloz. Can yu com look at my true and poot toys under Love, Jeremiah Love, Paxton Carlee

Dear Santa. want a big monster truck for Love, JesaLynn Tidwell Christmas

Love, Brandon Allen I have been good. I would like a Playstation, remote control. and a lunchbox.

Dear Santa, I hav been good. Will you bring me a tablit and LOL Surprise Love, Paisley Mitchell

Love, Cooper Walker

I want a dinosaur, a nerf gun, been really good this year. Love, Branston Johnson

Dear Santa, This Christmas I want a horse, a dog, and a unicorn and a camera and a gingerbread house to eat Love, Bella Boutwell

Dear Santa I want a Elsu and Ana doll and a toy hamstr. Last a 4 weelr. I love you Santa. Love, Brooklee Kilpatrick

Dear Santa I want a Brbe dream Klozet. I love you! Love, Olivia Hodge

Dear Santa, want a Xbox, roblox, Fort Knight, and GTA. Love, Easton DelaRosa

Dear Santa. Love, Harper Daly I wut a babe dol that lux riool and a anumool braaslit. I also wut a micrufon. Thanc You Santa Clos. Love, Eden Waldrop

I want an LOL Doll, slime, and a barbie. I want a stress ball. I

Love, Emma Walker Dear Santa, I want a hot wills track and sum hot wills and sum books and

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sum pretend dimins

Love, Marshall Kane

Can I please have a new hot and Tinsel are being nice. weels car for Christmas? Can I have a resling aschon figyr? Can I also have a Batman toy? Love, Lucas Roberts

Zion Chapel Dillard - Kindergarten Dear Santa I want a Kitty and all the presents you can give me like the pop game chips bows socks and cats too. Love, Kinley Logan

Dear Santa, Car, ball, race car track Love, Atrian

Dear Santa. Please I want a candle and a creeper medal. Ive been pretty good Love, Bennett Thrash

Dear Santa I want dirk bike logos magnit tiles and xbox Dear Santa,

My family has been good and id really like a toy rocket launcher please Hope you like cookies Love, Cason

I want marble run, lego city, a yo-yo, and Alexa.

I want a remote control tractor Love, Eli Smith and truck Love, Devan Smith

I want a dollhouse. Love, Grace Arnette

race track dinosaur and legos Love, Hunter Kidd

For Christmas I want nrf guns a pool a trapleen a motercicel a drone and smasher

Dear Santa I want a Babe Alive and otter keds to get toys

Dear Santa I have been a very good girl for Christmas i want a Babydoll and earrings Love, Kenna Baker

Camera boombox playpir new dollhouse a teacher doll LOL baby JOJO bows rings Rouldoph book Elf Love, Magdalene

I want a rel irnmen cosdume Love, Nixon

Dear Santa Trampoline hoverboard is what want for Christmas Love, Oaklyn

Dear Santa, BabyAlive I have been sweet

Love, Dakota I want a Rokitship. We will have reindeer food for your

Dear Santa, I want a Barbie dollhouse also some unicorn flip flops a toy

Love, Harley Hammond

Love, Jaxson

Dear Santa. How are your elves? How are you doing? I love you! I want a

Dear Santa I want a LOL doll, real makeup and a play kitchen Love, Ryleigh Kate

Zion Chapel M. Carson - Kindergarten Dear Santa, I have been very good. I would like a big truck.

Love, Javail Stallworth Kenzie Halstead Dear Santa, I want a Barbie grooming pet kit, for real makeup, tennis

Love, Presley Dillard

want my Uncle Tay Tay and Granny to come back and make her happy (Mommy). I love you! Braelyn Harrison

Please bring me an i-pod, a little walking stick, and a stuffed unicom. Love, Willow Cotton

Dear Santa, I want unicom loveys, unicom pogo stick, speaker for my 4-wheeler, and unicorn poopsie slime. Love, Isabelle Hughes

Dear Santa, I have been being good. I've helped my little brother. I hope you are making progress on toys. I would like a go-card, sled, and a guitar. Santa, have safe travels, stay warm in the North Pole, and don't forget vour hat. Love, Bryce Benbow

Dear Santa, want Osmo, laser tag, toy policeman handcuffs, and star war toys Love, Will Coggins

Dear Santa, I want a nerf gun and a bumblebee transformer. I would like an action figure.

Dear Santa, What I want for Christmas is a cooking set, ninja figures, and a bike.

Love, Skyler Walden I have been good I would like a Merry Christmas! I want tools. Real tools. I also want books. I can read

> Love, Ayden Hilburn Dear Santa, I want a new stroller for my baby! I love you Santa@

Love, Briana Potete Dear Santa I want Hot Wheels, a trampoline, different color elves, monster trucks, and stuffed animals.

Love, Ian Sanders Dear Santa, Thank you for the book. I want a Cry Baby and a pink basketbal Love, Lily Grace Carpenter

Dear Santa. I want a dirt blke and a dirt bike Love, Xander LeGear

1 – Jurassic World Legos; 2 – chren a dragin stufee. Dome Climber: 3 - Pokemon Max Vinson Love, Fox Grant

Dear Santa. I want a hoverboard, a play house, a nerf gun, and a robot. Love, Elijah Stafford

Dear Santa, If you will, bring me a race car with a motor, a nerf gun, and gun with a scope. Thank you! Love, Zack Snellgrove

Dear Santa, I want a unicorn for Christmas please Love, Emma Ellis

Dear Santa. Merry Christmas! I hope you will come to our house. I've been a good girl, but my brothers didn't clean their room. Love, Katie Johnson

Zion Chapel Tindal - First Grade Dear Santa. I kind of bin good all yer. I will like a hovur bord and a LOL dol. Pleeez make that hovurbord big and purple. I wud like goglos for the pool.

Darcy-Ann Downing Dear Santa You are the best Santa ever! Can I ples have a prinses carig and a mermode that glos and a tablit?

Dear Santa,

shoes, Bible, MJ outfit. Abbey nerf gun and a huver borrd. And a atv. And a dert bike, and a skooter, and a rumote can

> Braylen Sott Dear Santa, I luve my Elf and I wont for Krismus a kid hovrbord.

Allie Bunt Dear Santa, I like your slaeu. I wunt a four Conner Williamson

Dear Santa, I like you so much. Your slaye is cool! I wood like a huvirbord and a lol doll. And slime Serenitt Donaldson

I have not bin bad. I have bin good. I wont a go kart and I wont a electric skooder and I wont a appol woch.

Dear Santa I will like for Christmas is slime. I like yor hat.

Sydnee Parks I hope I have ben good. Thank you for calling us. I wood like a nuver bord and also I love you. I also thank you for giving us presens on Jesus Birthday. Kielee Richards

Dear Santa love you! I never sole you ! love you. Can I have a elekchrick skoodr! **Brantley Stinson** 

Dear Santa, Can you git me a huvebrord a red huverbord and a pet rabit. Brantley Hayden

Plees give me a new huver bord cuz you are the best ever. You give the kids what they want. I want a nintindos wich and a swishee! Gracelyn Wilkerson

Dear Santa. You are the best one. I like Dear Santa, er white beird it is the best. Ples let me have a monster Dean Hobart

Dear Santa. I have bin good. Can you plees give me a lol doll. I am glad that Cristmas is on Jesus's birthday.

Karsyn Sanders Dear Santa, I like your hat. I wont a BB gun.

I luv you. Can you get me puchin gluvs and a haw to

Dear Santa, You are the best ever. I wood like a lol doll and a elf and a new bookbag Claire Powell

You're my favrit holuday. Soon its gunu be a good holuday. I wood like skwishes.

I love you so much! I wont a lol dol. I wont a toy set shimur and shine and a babe alive.

Luke Marsh

Brooklyn Carnley Dear Santa, I wont a ds game and a noo tablit and paw puchrol toys. Tyler Richards

Dear Santa, Plees give me a toy tran and a toy box. Plees give me a huvrbord and skas. Saban Little

Zion Chapel Waldrop - First Grade Dear Santa, How do you make presis? wont a Nintendo Swich Nikst. I wont a ekxbox last I wont LOL. I will give you some cookes.

Dear Santa wish that Hale wud cum. wont a barbe drem couch. I want a barbe kichin and an

IPad. I love you. like your hat. I wood like a Harpe and Plenty of Cheer FOR GOOD MEASURE We appreciate your support more than ever, and we thank you for eating with us this year! We look forward to continuing to serve you!! (334) 897-8462 Elba, AL

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Dear Santa, Do you have a crismis tree? I wot a barbe dol? And Slime. vou Santa Claz.

Dear Santa, What do you do these yers. I egg and a LOL shows. I love

Kessy Brooke Dear Santa, How are you? I wot 2 gloves. I wot a fox. I wot a baby chick.

Dear Santa, How do you make the toys? want a Davey Jones Mask. wont a Davey Jones action Davey Jones pegleg.

How are you? Do we get gifts? I want slime. I want cande. I want a balus bem. I will bake cookes for you.

Dear Santa, I love you. I want mackup. I want a prinses car. I want a prinses castle. Can you ples giv me a cake?

Dear Santa, Are you redey for Crismis? Love, Addie Ruth Ellis This yir I wat a goKrt. This yir I wot a Babey Doll. This yir I want a stuff Animal. Bryar wots a Dup Truke.

Dear Santa. How do you mok toys? I want hover bord. I want the ex ex box one S. I want a barbe. I love vou.

Dear Santa, How do your deer fly? I want LOL. I want a Switch. And surprises. I appreciate it.

How do your elves move? I want a PS5. I want a PS. I want an iphone 12. I want a book.

Dear Santa, How are you feeling? I want a gokart. I want a dirt bike.

Dear Santa. What are you doing for crismis. want a game called fA RA cry 5. Thank you.

Is Mis Klos feeding you rite? I wot Amerian girl Doll, A collar for Rime. Wendy

Dear Santa, Are you doing ok? I want a Brab Dolles, I want a LOL Sprise Doll, I want sum LOL Close. I wood epreushiat it. Georgia

Dear Santa, Haw is Mrs Claus? I want evree one to have a good Christmas and some barbes and close. Hey will you save a cokee for me plees?

Dear Santa, How do you eat the cookes? want a toy bell that you tell it something and it tells you something bak.

I want a motorcycle and a for wheeler, I want a dron.

Dear Santa want a vilet scooter. I saw are elf on the shelf in my sisters Mandy Polk

Dear Santa, I want a new bike. I am going ot leave you some cokkies.

Zion Chapel A. Carson - Second Grade Dear Santa, How are you and the elves? I

among us back pack because it sewns cool. I also need a pig because pigs are nice. I hope And I wot a LOL Pet. Thank you and the randeer have a safe trip be sure to leave out cookes and milk.

Love, Ady want a PolleePokit and a lloma How are you and the elves? I have been good this year. For Christmas I would really like a pets alive because I like them. I also need a hair brush because I need one. I hope you and the reindeer have a safe trip. I will be sure to leave out cookis and milk.

Love, Jacelyn Senn How are you and the elves? I have been good this year. figor. I want a hat. I want a For Christmas I would really like Among Us characters red because Shield I hope you and the reindeer have a safe trip. I will be sure to leave out cookies and milk

Love, Raelynn Dear Santa, How are you and the elves? I have been good this year. For Christmas I would really like a crybaby because I love baby dolls and I love to take care of baby dolls. I also need another big stuffed animal. I hope you and the reindeer have a safe trip. I will be sure to leave out cookies and milk

Dear Santa, How are you and the elves? I have been good this year. For Christmas I would really like a 4-wheel seat because I want to ride it. I also need a grinder because I need to cut a lock off my toolbox. I hope you and the reindeer have a safe trip. I will be sure to leave out cookies

and coke. Love, Baylor Dear Santa, How are you and the elves? I have been good this year. For Christmas I would really like a lphone because I want to play phone. I also need more kitchen toys because I really love to cook. I hope you and the reindeer have a safe trip. I

will be sure to leave out cookies and milk. Love, Keagan Senn Dear Santa, How are you and the elves? I have been good this year. For Christmas I would really like a remot control because I want a Lego Jurriasic World lego set with a lego Trex in it, race car set. You and the reindeer have a safe trip. I will be sure

to leave out cookies and milk. Love, Ruger Currie Dear Santa. How are you and the elves? I have been good this year. For Christmas I would really like a pony because i want to ride it around the house. also need a noo satre because mine is fillg up. I hope you and the reindeer have a safe trip. I will be sure to leav cookes

and milk Love, Charlie Harrison Dear Santa, How are you and the elves? I have been good this year. For Christmas I would really like baking book because I love baking. I also need a watch because I really like them. I hope you and the reindeer have a safe trip. I will be sure to leave out cookies and milk.

Love, Lyndie Carson Dear Santa, low are you and the elves? I have been good this year For Christmas I would really like a puppy because I wot too play with it. I hope you and the reindeer have a safe trip. I will be sure too leave out cookies and milk.

Love, Kaitin Griffin Dear Santa, How are you and the elves? I have been good this year. For Christmas I would really like a 410 because I want to kill deer and dove. I also need 410 buck shot because I really like them. I hope you and the reindeer hava a safe trip. I will be sure



Zion Chapel (con't) A. Carson - Second Grade

Dear Santa. How are you and the elves? I go pro because I want to make videos, I also need one more Dear Santa, reindeer have a safe trip. I will and milk.

Love, Everly Coggins

How are you and the elves? I have been good this year. For Christmas I would really like a Dear Santa, like it because it is amasing. and milk and carrots. Love, Odessa McDurmont

Dear Santa, How are you and the elves? | Dear Santa. to leave out cookies and milk. Love, Brice Burdeshaw

How are you and the elves? I have been good this year. For Dear Santa. cookies and milk. Love, Anabell

How are you and the elves? I have been good this year. For Dear Santa, and milk Love, Bentlee

reindeer have a safe trip. I will and milk

Love, Colton How are you and the elves? have been good this year. For Christmas I would really like another Nintendo Switch because I want to trade for a pokemon sword. I hope you and the reindeer have a safe trip. I will be sure to leave out cookies and milk. Love, Miller

Zion Chapel Deal - Second Grade Dear Santa,

How are you and the elves? I have been good this year. For Christmas I would really like a laptop because is a begr sren Mac book computer because and I can tipe. I hope you and the reindeer have a safe trip. I also need leggings because I will be sure to leave out cookies and milk and carrots. Love, Paisley-Kat Jordan

Dear Santa, How are you and the elves? I have been good this year. For Dear Santa. Christmas I would really like a bunny because you are nice. I also need wice because you are the best. I hope you and the reindeer have a safe trip. Love, Mason Kidd

Dear Santa, How are you and the elves? I and milk. have been good this year. For Love, Isabella Smith Christmas I would really like a bowie knife because I would

Love, Sam Parker

Dear Santa, Christmas I would really like and reindeer food. slime because I love slime. I Love, Mattie Henderson also need new legos because love Legos. I hope you and the Dear Santa,

reindeer have a safe trip.

Love, Eli Lewis

have been good this year. For How are you and the elves? I a iPhone 11 because I would Dear Santa, go Pro because I want to make Christmas I would really like long sleeve shirts and pants good and bad this year. For bike I've been good all year. You Tube vidios. I also need a hoverboard because I can because it is cold. I hope you Christmas I want baby doll wifi because I really want it plz. rid. I also need legos police and the reindeer have a safe clothes because am getting a If you hav room can I ride on slappy doll. I hope you and the reindeer because I just need it. I hope trip. I will be sure to leave out baby doll and I don't have the sleigh? And how is Nora Love, Piper Kilpatrick have a safe trip. I will be sure you and the reindeer have a cookies and milk and reindeer clothes for it. I need baby doll doing? And pleas don't make safe trip. I will be sure to leave food. out cookies and milk and car- Love, Shelby Cribb

Love, Austin Boley

and milk and carrots. Love, Kristian McNeeil

cookies and milk and carrots. Love, Bates Trawick

How are you and the elves? I Dear Santa, have been good this year. For how are you and the elves? I have been good this year. For Christmas I want a growing up been verey good this year. For Christmas I want a growing up chimney or door? I have been I helped pick up peecons If Christmas I would really like a have been nice this year. For Christmas I want Spiderman baby doll pleas. Becuse win good but this year can you

have a safe trip. I will be sure Dear Santa to leave out cookies and milk How are you? I have been aweand reindeer food. Love, Carmen Walden Dear Santa. How are you and the elves? I have been good this year. For

ies and milk. Love, Paisley B. Thomaston

Dear Santa cookies and milk and carrots.

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because mine broke. I hope How are you and the elves? I a safe trip! you and the reindeer have a have been nice this year. For Love, Brison Dickey

safe trip. I will put out reindeer Christmas I would really like a four wheeler because I like to Dear Santa, I hope you and the reindeer

reindeer have a safe trip. I will How are you and the elves? I wheels because last time I got

How are you and the elves? I have been good this year. For Christmas I would really like battery slede because I relly How are you and the elves? a 4 stroke dirt bike because I have been good this year. it is fast. I hope you and the I also need lol dolls because I For Christmas I would really reindeer have a safe trip. I will really like it. I hope you and the like a cross bow because I like be sure to leave out cookies. How are you? I have been would like airpods. I would like you have room on your sleigh,

> Dear Santa, How are you and the elves? I safe trip! have been good this year. For Love, Brady Dillard Christmas I would really like

Zion Chapel Holton - Second Grade

Christmas I would really like a How are you and the elves? I How are you? I have been good and bad this year. For Chistmas, I want a stuffed because my brother keeps getreindeer have a safe trip. I will ting chocolate milk on my bed Love, Sophie Prescott

Love, Noah Taylor

some this year. For Christmas I want a ber ten alien chaber because I can create aliens. I need a four weeler. How are the reindeer? Have a safe trip. Love, Logan Hurt

Dear Santa, How are you? I have been Dear Santa, good this year. For Christmas I How are you? I have been want a dirt bike. I need a tractor. Have a safe trip! Love, Aden Beckworth

How are you? I have been good this year. For Christmas I want a barbie. I need a new water bottle. Have a safe trip! Love, Bayli Calloway

Dear Santa, I want a toy babydoll. I need anew pair of pants. Have a safe trip. Love, Maddie Robertson

have been good this year. For How are you? I have been nice How are you and the elf? For Christmas I would really like a this year. For Christmas I want Christmas I would like a baby bunny because it is soft. I also a magic glove. I need a ranger.

Dear Santa, How are you? I have been Don't forget to be nice. I love good this year. For Christmas You! I want toys and trucks. I need Your friend, Riley Grant good this year. For Christmas

a golf chart. I want a elf. Have Dear Santa,

ride. I also need a bunk bed How are you? I have been me. If you have room in your elf ride and my elf ride. Don't because I would like two beds. energetic this year. For bag then please bring my dog Christmas I want a elf costume a toy. Don't forget to eat and How are you and the elves? I have a safe trip. I will be sure because I want to be a elf. I drink your cookies and milk. have been good this year. For to leave out cookies and milk need a fishing rod. I want a Your friend, Sophia Denmon reindeer elf pet. Have a safe

Love, Austin Roberts

Dear Santa, have been good this year. For Christmas, would really like a pink hoverboard with light up like a pink hoverboard with lit because I want my other baby want a lot of books and pink Love, Grant Powell doll to have a sester. I need a phone. Whe bell is gone I miss draw on. I want games. I also Dear Santa,

> sweet this year. For Christmas, I want a blue guitar because I want ot be in a band. I need a in your sleigh please bring me fun pin. I hope you have fun at a Elf. Don't forget to leve a Elf. the North Pol. Have a safe trip. Love, Austin Bowers Love, Brayden Brooks

Dear Santa, good. This year for Christmas a iphone 6. I would like a want a orange toy truck ipad. I would like a camera. because bed spread I need a Thank you for sending Jonny fishing rod. I love you. Have a and Chippie. Love, Malinda Baker

stuff and a play kitchen and eny noise. I try to sleep. Don't Dear Santa also a new play house. Have forget the PS5. a safe trip! Love, Railyn Haynes

Dear Santa. some this year. For Christmas, a rainbow pillow, and a doll. not go to my room. I want a remote control car Animal of Lola because I love because it can go fast and go her. I need a new bed spread on roks. I need a golf chart. You are the best Santa eavr, and I want to see reindeer. Have a safe trip. Love, Westley Forhand

Your friend, Jalyn Senn How are you? I have been How are you? I have been Dear Santa, energetic this year. For good this year. For Christmas, want a animals because they the dark. I also need one for Christmas I would really like a because I have a iPhone five are nice. I need a Christmas my brother because I really doll because I would play with and it dose not work. I need a tree. I love you Santa you breg love them. I hope you and the her. I also need a bow because basketball pump because my presat for people that bot have a presat for them. Have a safe the dog toys. Coleman

Love, Daniela Rosales How are you? I have been clothes that I like. I am sory am going to name my elf cotton Your friend, Jaci Jones for the bad things I have done. Have a safe trip. Love, Jocie Anderson

Dear Santa, most? I am happy its just my step dad died October 8<sup>th</sup> so good this year. For Christmas I'm a little sad. Are you able to want a notebook. I need a Christmas tree. I love you. Have a safe trip. Love, Laken Allen

good this year. For Chrismis. want a apple watch because they are cool and they can count how many steps I've take. I need that apple watch to fit me. Have you seen my other note. Have a safe trip! Love, Zeke Morris

Dear Santa, How are you? I have been sweet this year. For Christmas I want a rile dog because thay are cute. I need a dog food. Have a safe trip! Love, Pacyn Kate Smith

Zion Chapel **Hutchison - Third Grade** doll, thremplen, and apple watch. I have been good and bad. I will be nice, Sory! If you have room on your sleigh please let Mrs. Claus ride.

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cookies? For Chrimis I would How cold is the North Pole? like a gun, and a durt bike, For Christmas I would like a and candy. I have been kind of dog or a cow and I have been good. If you have room on your sleigh please let my sisters a little bad but please forgive forget to leave my sister a little present. Your friend, Dawson S.

How are you and Rootaph? I want a cage for my bird and For Christmas I would like a toys for my bird. I want a new elf costoom and a cowboy cosbinder. I also want a new glass- toom and a pitcher of you. I

lights. I also want something to

Well at least tried to be good.

Love you, Hunter Archie

broke his toy. If you have room

candy. Can my elf come during

summer please? I wish my elf

kind of cookies you like the

see heaven cause if you can

tell him that I love him every

Love, Payton Veasey

Dear Santa,

bone.

want stuff anmails.

Dear Santa,

Love, Sophia Davis

How is the reindeer? For Christmas I wold like macekup, macbook and a mouse. I have ben very good this year. If How are you? I have been Hi! For Christmas I would like a you have room on your sleigh please let my elf ride. Do not PS5 Xbox and intendo. I have been good. If you have room for git to give me a prasint. Love, Emma Kay Powell

> How is Mrs. Claues? For Christmas I would like shotgun, I would like a Hatchable. I truck rifle. I have been good. If please put a toy for my dog. Don't forget to eat your milk and cookies. Your friend, Holton Luke Little

Dear Santa

Santa do your randir fliy for rill? How meny elfs do you got? For Santa so you now I hav ben a Christmas I would really like a have been good this year. For play on my phone. I also need How are you? I have been Christmas I would like a dirt good girl. Santa haw do you go all arand the world in won nite? Santa can I plez hav a

> How is Mrs. Claus? For Christmas I would lik a dog. I have been good for you. Do you have a enoph room How are the raindeer. For on your sleigh to braing Mrs. How are you? I have been awe- Christmas I would like a dog, Claus to ride? Don't forget to

I helped my brother when he Your friend, Maddie Kilpatrick on your sleigh please get my puppy a bone that squeaks. How are your elves? For Don't forget to get my puppy Christmas, I would like bebe gun, amaim girl doll, and a

a Christmas sticker on his on hamster cage. I am looking forward to my birthday and Christmas. I have been nice this year. If you have room in your bag please bring me snow How is rodof the reindeer. For glod, and a stuffd dog, and a Christmas I ant a LOL remx a amg doll, and a LOL doll. Don't elf and joy. I have been good. forget to give my dog a gift. Your friend, Madison If you have room on the sleigh bring two dog toys. Don't forget Killingsworth Your friend, Kaitlyn Renee

How are you? For Christmas would like a pupey, lufbed, and a new barbie house. I have How are your elves doing? you have room on your sleigh

Dear Santa, can stay with me forever. What How is Ms Clause, and the reindeer doing? I have been good this year. Because I was begin nice to my sisters. If you have room on your sleigh please bring my dog a unicom Halloween outfit. Don't forget to give Mrs. Hutchison a extra present for Christmas. I love

Your best friend, Maci Brooke Hay wats up? Do you like Halstead

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hunt with it. I want a dirt bike Dear Santa,



have been good this year. For be sure to leave out Coke. Christmas I would really like a Love, Katelyn Greenwood go pro for my brother because How are you and the elves? I one it stopped working. I also

my brother likes making vid- have been nice this year. For need cat toys because my cat eos too. I hope you and the Christmas I would really want chews me. I hope you and the her. Have a safe trip! a four-wheeler because I don't reindeer have a safe trip. I will Love, Preslee Grimes be sure to leave out cookies have one. I also need a bible be sure to leave out cookies and a new bike because my and milk and reindeer food. bike is broke and I don't have Love, Preslee Parker a bible. I hope you and the Love, Isabella Smart

reindeer have a safe trip. I will hunting. I also need cologne and milk. be sure to leave out cookies because I am sweaty. I hope Love, Trent Lee you and the reindeer have a safe trip.

puppy and a LOL doll and a have been good this year. For teddy bear because I want to Christmas I would really like a play with it all day. I hope you bunny because they are cute. I and the reindeer have a safe also need a bike because it is trip. I will be sure to leave out fun to ride. I hope you and the be sure to leave out cookies spread. Have a safe trip!

Christmas I would really like How are you and the elves? I a glow stick I want to see in have been good this year. For Christmas I want a iPhone 9 raindeer have a safe trip. I will I want to look nice. I hope you other pump broke. How do be sure to leave out cookies and the reindeer have a safe your reindeer fly. Have a safe trip. trip. I will be sure to leave out frip!

Love, Madalyn Helms

Legos set. I also need a Lego Christmas I would really like a the PS4 game because its ever I am a gron up I want tablet because I love you and fun. I need clothes. Love you to be preperd. I need some Christmas? Once I get an elf I Don't forget to eat the cookies! of Legos. I hope you and the you are the best. I also need Santa. Have a safe trip! a bunk bed because it is big. be sure to leave out coocies I hope you and the reindeer

Christmas I would really like a bunny because I love animals. I also need a cage because it is for my bunny. I hope you and the reindeer have a safe trip. I will be sure to leave out cook-

How are you and the elves? I have been good this year. For Christmas I would really like my computer keys are broken. need new leggings. I hope you How are you? I have been and the reindeer have a safe good this year. For Christmas trip. I will be sure to leave out

Love, Libby Grace Tankersley How are you and the elves? I Dear Santa, need a bunny cage because it Have a safe trip. is helpful. I hope you and the Love, Nolan Kilpatrick reindeer have a safe trip. I will be sure to leave out cookies

Zion Chapel (con't) **Hutchison - Third Grade** 

Dear Santa. Do you like cookies? I want a ball, Naruto shoes and Naruto sweatshirt. Don't forget to get me my presents and leave it wear you won't wake me up. Your elves doing good and your reindeer doing good? Hopiley I get every thing I want and tell your elves that I want one of them. I will not touch him where he would not loose his power. I hope they will hide and he cand dance to my disco Love, Clark Christmas tree and tell him not to be like last year and do not not getting in trouble. But if you come I will make some milk and cookies

Zion Chapel Griswold - Third Grade Dear Santa.

Your friend, Colton Grantham

For Christmas I want a lol makeup jacket, hudey, hoverboard, bike, earrings chaker, neckless, barble doll baby alive American girl doll pets alive scrunche telyties dog art supplies school good life. Love, Kadan

Dear Santa, What I relly whant for Chrimas is a swich. I also whant a cedord. But what I relly relly whant for chirmas is for everyone to be happy. I what a bunch of stuf in my stoking. I wish you a merry chirmas! Love, Annabelle

Hello its me agin. Im not asking of much this year. I wont a eleksu and I hope that at uncil andeys it snows. I wont a mine ranger with mud tiers and a heater and doors please. I wont a mudding game for my switch. I want a storckol for it. I wont a hover board set.

Love, Lincoln Dear Santa. I wot a Amercan girl doll cloths and Amercan girl dal bed and boy doll and boy clothes and naw newborn clothes and 3dM clothes, Babby Bay and girl clothes, cuddls rell alive pets and tuble and cat and dog, art stuff and new clothes for me, a crombook

Love, Alleigh I want to say Merry Christmas to you Santa on Christmas. want a giant purple stuffed dragon, a real elf, Battery moving dog, laptop, and wolf bat-tery robot. Unicorn lunch box and unicorn backpack, a unicorn switch, a pear of flip flops, unicorn mittens, and a unicorn remot xbox controller a wolf remot controller and a wolf bike with a wolf helment. Love, Piper

Dear Santa, How have you been. For Chrismas I want Nintendo swich games, nerf guns, amibo, fortnite, robux, xbox, DS card for swich, mouse for laptop, wireless ear buds, portable charger, portable wifi. Love, Aiden

Dear Santa. I love Christmas do you of cowse you do your Santa. All I want for Christmas is pranking stuff, exersising stuff, and an elf doll. Oh and one more thing I want a lightup riding scooter. Love, SaraGrace

Dear Santa, How are the elfs doing? I want a chromebook, bookcase, rol-Barbie Jeep so they have a new car. I would like a other doll house because they need a new house. But I would love cocks (1 girl and 1 boy). I want Tori to have an Auburn want Tori to have an Auburn I would also love a beanbag chair because I might need one for my room. But what I really want for Christmas is a little Christmas tree to go in my room. Love, Allyson

Dear Santa, How are you and your elfs dowin. This is my Santa letter. I would like a polley pocket, horse set, shoes, close. Love, Kortlyn-Blake

Dear Santa. I don't really need any thing because I've been bad and all but I'll still ask. I want a blue electric scooter, but how your reindeer I'm just wondering? Oh and hows the shop going? Say hi to the elfs and for me. Love, Tanner

How are the elfs. I want Xbox one games, a elctrec dirt bike. I want Jordns Nike air maxs a lego set hot wheels cars a lead a razor to. Love, Brendon

Miami Dolphins Helmet. I want book a puppy Apple watch Hi how aer you dowing? May I a cool pix camera and last headphones winter clothes and please have a intendo swech, of all I want both Miami and a lava lamp. Alabama jersey from Tua Tag. By the way, how are the elves? Love, Rylan Thrash

Dear Santa, for my puppy. I realy want good? May I please hav a toy What I want is a arsee car for another barbie house. Some robot, and a PS5, and a ninju Christmas, and I also want is new chichens and rabbits. A soot? Thank you and love you. Love, Amy Pittman for my mom, dad, and sisters light whip for my 4 wheeler. From, Aiden to be happey. But I also want And a new cofder and new bed this year they will stop doing golden chain, basketball, foot- updates on iPhone sixes and I won't a Xbox gift card for Xbox Wrangler pants and Wrangler baby doll. I hope you have a gold live. And I won't a beraclet shirt, spirs. A uncle packy flag good day. that said's Just Breth please. Love, Brayden Ballard

Dear Santa. Ar you alrite. Wat I wont for Love, Tori Nelson crimis is a new screw fore my got cart. I wont mincraft dugen. I wont Chreg X sharks. I wont morshmello to go visit.

make a mess and get in the cheez its. Oh I forgot how is I am so excited for Christmas. I am so excited for Christm Ms. Claus doing? Hope she is I want a LOL van, Baby Aliy grown up doll for Christmas. Love, Payton

> the electric one and a kitting for my nana and I hope that my daddy and hes girlfriend get meride. Love, Kynslie

For Crismes I would like two From, Braydan amaricen girl doll beds, a crush crush doll, a LOL glamper, and Dear Santa, a par of seats, and to see you. Love, May Wolter

Zion Chapel Jones - Third Grade Dear Santa.

and it be a nice new car. Mrs. Pants book. Jones wants candy. She is on Love, Lidia the nice list. And a nice cool car for Henry and Andy. Love, Henry

a little mean. For Christmas I want a compter. want pokemon, legos, and a Love, Noah iphone 12. I hope you have a good Christmas. I hope everyone has a good Christmas. Love, Conley

Dear Santa. Nintendo switch and bendy toy Love, Alex Batson

dier. I want a apple woch and a Love, Hannah Stubblefield compoter and a rainbow mask and a unacorn mask anda clok roodoff the red raindeer. Love, Alyson Carnley

I have bin nice and this year I don't want much. Just a really nice art cit. and on new tablet. Love, Anna Grace

Dear Santa. Christmas I would like paint, paint brashis, legos. My favor-I will leave you some coockies for you to eat. Your friend, Elih

Dear Santa. This year I have been nice. For Christmas I would like a tablat, a X Box, a Nintendo Switch. My favorite reindeer is Densr. If I could ask you one question, it would be: How old are you? On Christmas Eve, I will leave Dear Santa, you some coces for you to eat. Your friend, Marci

Dear Santa. I would like some books, more baby chicks. I would really like lar skates, skeas, more beads, four wheeler, clothes, crafting sweater. My brother, tools. My mom, dishes. And my dad, a computer case. Hannah, balah shoose Love, Halynn Hilburn

Dear Santa, I want a ipad, a phone, a plashtashin games for it, drones, game console. Love, Zae

Dear Santa. I'm so exsited for Christmas this year, I hope I am on the nice list. I love you Santa Clos. Santa two things I want is a skateboard, and a barbie

From, Karli Kidd

Dear Santa, This year I have been nice. For Christmas I would like dog, clothes, tennis shoes. If I could ask you one question, it would be: How old are you? On Christmas Eve, I will leave you some cookies for you to eat. Your friend, Kyli

I am 8 years old this year. I would love a new desk chair. A I want a football that can hit a pear of duckboots. Some ten-

wall and bounce back. I want a nis shoes. A fluffy jaket chrome Dear Santa, Love, Sarah

From. Levi

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa,

From, Bayleigh

bik? thank you. From. Hayston

Dear Santa.

From, Millie

Dear Santa,

From, Hartlyn

LOL g doll, and barby doll.

From, Sadie Brooks

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa,

From, Hunter

Thank you Santa.

From, Mason

Dear Santa.

robot spashipe.

From, Diego

Dear Santa.

luf you.

From. Connor

Dear Santa,

From, Cason Benson

Snell - First Grade

and Merry Christmas!

Love, Yohahan Strickland

Dear Santa.

Christmas!

Love, Sydney Smith

**New Brockton Elementary** 

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa, I would like some more toyes is a new iPhone because after and pillow. A Ps4 and game like madden and basketball. Some more blow ups to put outside. and packy hat. A cromebook. And load. Haylnn a brayclet set and a paited chicken some stuff anmails and stuff elfs.

> Dear Santa Can I get a PS5 and a fow- Dear Santa, iler and a gowcot and a per Hao or you doeg? May I please uv Nike tenna shoes and a have a doll bag, and a merican Nintendo Switch and a Xbox doll prenses and a LOL. I love moltholrcor. Zachery Rhodes

Dear Santa, Our elf was in our jar for some reason today, but anyways, for four willer, LOL stachu pet. I Christmas I want a hoverboard, love you. remote car, and a hopper ball. want a scooter for Christmas We have good decorations. And our tree is magnificent. Also I want a dirt bike, new swing set, a toy elf, and a stick horse. Oh by the way our tree is in the living room. We will have cookies, milk, and carrots in the kitchen.

I wish for a bick and a unacarn fluffy. I wish for a twisty gril and a barby doll and a Go Glam so lone and a twisty pet and a barby doll house and a baby Alive and a randier toy I want a Gta to me, and my dad and a culering book and a dog wants a new car for Christmas man book and a Captain Under

Dear Santa, I want a basketball gym. I want a basketball with it. I want a tutle and the stuf with it. I want I have been nice this year and a PS4 to. I want a lphone 11. I

I think I have been nice this year. But I do not know you know the best. Because you look at everyone. I do not look want a remote car and at everyone. I would like a slinky, a black panther figapple watch. And a new pair ure, a leapfrog 100 words duck boots. Like Anna Grace book, and new clothes. Daly. And a good chapter book. And a lol surprise doll. And A remote control car. And one for I love roodoff the red nose rain my sister and a new sweater.

Dear Santa, and a toy raindeer a toy of I hope evry thing is going roodoff the red raindeer. good at the North Pole. I hope everyone is getting up to the wunt 2 figit spinr. Thank you nice list. On and this year for Christmas I would like Heelie Tennis shoes, clothes, Na Na Na Surprise. From, Emma Hutto

Dear Santa, Thank you for letting Jonny This year I have been nice. For stay aftr crismis and thank you for letting me tuch Jonny naw I want a remote control car and ite reindeer is Coment. If I a doll that can swam in water could ask you one question, with blue heir like this and I it would be: Haw do you go to want it to be a mameb and a ever haws? On Christmas Eve, gile so and I want a lot of candy and that's all. Love. Jayce

> **New Brockton Elementary** Johnson - Kindergarten Dear Santa. I want toys and shoes for Christmas! me and my brother. Merry Love, Colton Hussey Christmas!

Love, Alanis I want a new game please. Love, Christian S.

Dear Santa. I would like a new phone for Christmas.

Love, Makynley Dear Santa, I want a sonic toy and a WWE belt and a Nintendo switch.

Love, Reed **New Brockton Elementary** Scroggins - First Grade

Halo hal or the mdeer? May I please hve mermaid tales. mermade doll, LOL. I luv you 2! From, Bella

Hello how are you? May please have a fone? LOL? I love you. From, Madison

How are you doing? May I please have a nindow switch, LOL, and a nijna turtle? From, Aubree

Dear Santa. May I please have a unicm and a tv? thankyou. From, Izabella

Dear Santa, I have been good this year. I am learning new signs. May I please have a scooter, race cars, and a soccer ball? Thank From, Naldo

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Dear Santa. Enterprise. This year, I have very good! PS5, and a ril life tols play set. like it if you could bring me: want a puppy blue jen jacket. I Dear Santa, want a toy lunch box. I want a For Christmas, I want a pool, leginzs i phone. I want a laptop water slide, hatchable. I have I hop the nolf pol is going mackup. Thank you and Merry been very good. good? May I please hav a toy Christmas!

Dear Santa, I am 7 years old. This year, I I love you Santa. May I please have been really good. I would have a LOL nite lamp, and a really like it if you could bring me: romote kuchol truck, some close, some socks, a jet ske and a colmmue, and 6 walky talky. Thank you and Merry Christmas! Hey. May i please have a dirt Love, Kolnon Cole

> 1 am 7 years old. I live in New Brockton. This year, I have been really good. I would really like it if you could bring me: I wont a phone. Thank you and From, Haylee Moore

Dear Santa. I am 7 years old. I live in New Hall are yuw? May I have a Brockton. This year, I have been really good. I would really like it if you could bring me: a toy rmot kehir, dril car, ahuvbrd, a skatbord, a xbox. Thank you and Merry Christmas! I love you Santa clas. May I please have a marin grl doll, Love, Olen Thomson

I am 7 years old. I live in New Brockton. This year, I have been really good. I would really Hlo, May I please have a farm like it if you could bring me: wont a suem clows. I wont no shooll, I wont a compdr. Thank you and Merry Christmas! Love, Kylie Burns How are you doing? May I please have hot weels, i phone

11, and a WWE carrectar? am 6 years old. I live in Dear Santa, Enterprise. This year, I have For Christmas, I want LOLs been really good. I would really and pet. I have been very like it if you could bring me: Hay I hope you are ok. May I Baby doll and closse, Baby doll Love, Andie please have a Santa toy, and a food, Baby doll shoos, Baby doll costyom. Thank you and Merry Christmas! Love, Enessa Hakimor

Hawr or you tuday? May I Dear Santa, please have a ninteno and a I am 6 years old. I live in New toy, four weelr. Thanx you. I Brockton. This year, I have been really good. I would really like it if you could bring me: I want a racor wiz o rumar Thank you and Merry Christmas! Love, Jahaziel Gerena I have been a very good boy

this year. I want a jumbo Vest. I am 8 years old. I live in levs cande cans Nex Brockton Alabama. This Sincerely, Bena year, Thank you and Merry

Love, Chy'Ann Vest am 7 years old. I live in Alabama. This year, I have Dear Santa, I am 7 years old. I live in New Dear Santa, been really good. I would really like it if you could bring me: I longer. Thank you and Merry marry Christmas.

I am 7 years old. I live in New Love, Billy McLean Brockton. This year, I have been really good. I would really Dear Santa. like it if you could bring me: Enterprise. This year, I have swich. pogostic, Bick Boocs, Braslit, been really good. I would really Mathgams, calidr, Fishing like it if you could bring me: pol. Thank you and Merry wunt a ghost ridrs. I wunt all the nrf guns in the world. Thank you and Merry Christmas! Love. Trace

Dear Santa. am 6 years old. I live in New Brockton. This year, I Senn - First Grade have been really good. I would really like it if you could bring Dear Santa. me: game computer, arigeo Thank you and Merry

Brockton. This year, I have and gams been really good. I would really very good! like it if you could bring me: phone, LOL doll hales, LOL baby alive, labtop. Thank you and Merry Christmas! Lobve, Katie Beth Pynes

Dear Santa. am 6 years old. I live in New Brockton. This year, I have Dear Santa, been really good. I would really like it if you could bring me: toy row bot, toy bobe shock, and a very good! toy roceshep. Thank you and Love, Stormie Merry Christmas! Love, Cebastian Morgan

I am 7 years old. I live in New Brockton. This year, I have Love, Wayne been really good. I would really like it if you could bring me: speshhottormt. Thank you and good! Merry Christmas! Love, Aubrey Ricketts

Dear Santa, been really good. I would really Love, Alayna Trawick like it if you could bring me: ruth of plush that has a glow How are you doing to daey? noze, rawbot toy. Thank you For Christmas, I want a LOL's, and Merry Christmas! Love, Jace Medley

> Dear Santa I am 6 years old. I live in New Dear Santa, like it if you could bring me: lla set. I have been very good! lith has woshenmns eff. Thank Love, Sylvia Kate Hussey you and Merry Christmas! From, Nadia Davis

boox, basr set Lego, moeo,

I am 7 years old. I live in pet rader prush. I have been been really good. I would really Love, Hollister Hooper

> Love, Lydia For Christmas, lago, pirit ship, pupe and scitins. I have been very good! Love, Beau

> > For Christmas, pixies. I want a LOLs, pool. I have been very good! Love, Anya

For Christmas, basketball, Godzilla. I have been very Love, Marivan

Dear Santa. For Christmas, I want a dog, hatchabes, pool. I have been very good! Love, Lilly Ricketts

For Christmas, I want Xbox, games, Legos. I have been very good! Love, Kayde

Dear Santa. For Christmas, I want a acsun fgur, Xbox. I have been very good! Love, Ezequiel

Dear Santa. For Christmas, I want a watrslide. I have been very good! Love, Noah Adkison

good!

For Christmas, I want acsun figur, Xbox. I have been very Love, Jacob

**New Brockton Elementary** Hawkins - First Grade Dear Santa Bol Eletchr formr, shareck tuth. Sincerely, Noah

I wont a toy Loeyn whith a lesh I am 8 years old. I live in New and a toy Boll and ded and Brockton. My name is Chy'Ann Bollacite. Are you the one ho

> Dear Santa. I wot a motrbik. I wot a for W Sincerely, Jase

Brockton. This year, I have I all rety rote a letr to you been really good. I would really but I still what to say thank like it if you could bring me: you Santa for breening familys truck, ninja sord, nrf gun, rockit togethr oh and I wish you a Sincerely, Jayson

Dear Santa. I want a I phone 8 pro and a I am 7 years old. I live in four weler and a Nentendo

Sincerely, William

Dear Santa. Dog, doll a bakee, a toe cat that woxe at side pet bunee that is a toe that wox at side a pet that is a brd toe that have **New Brockton Elementary** a kaje, a van whth dolls poppy toe that wox at side a miss Sincerely, Ahna For Christmas, I want Barlcooa

aigur, books, water slide. have been very good! Dear Santa. Love, Logan I am 7 years old. I live in New For Christmas, I want V bucks Sincerely, Zyossmji

> Love, Jaceor Dear Santa, For Christmas, I want a dog, I

and gams Xbox. I have been

been very good! Love, Ryleigh pixies drawing set. I have been

Dear Santa, For Christmas, I want a V bucks, Xbox1, Godzilla. I have

Dear Santa. puppy dog toy and I want a For Christmas, I want four fox toy in I want elf in I want a acsun figurs. I have been very

Love, Julio

Dear Santa, For Christmas, I want LOL's, Dear Santa I am 7 years old. I live in New hatchables, puppys. I love Brockton. This year, I have Santa. I have been very good!

> Dear Santa puppys, books. I have been Dear Santa, very good! Love, Kolbie

Brockton. This year, I have For Christmas, I want a LOL's been really good. I would really 4 water slide puppy drawing

Dear Santa.

I love ste Loo Slo yot Los alo fos Loi it I SvI LVS vsf alytt

I wot a flwr. I wot riditl. Sincerely, Kaiden

Dear Santa, want Lols, I want fone. I have I wot a monstr truck, I wot a for welr. I ride anuthr list. Sincerely, Coesen

Dear Santa For Christmas, I want a LOL I love you Santa Claus. I pese PS5. I you Elf.

> Dear Santa. one wobpoujy Sincerely, Kennth

Sincerely, Ty

Dear Santa, I hav bin good but I rile wat a doodbge and I wat a pet pup. Sincerely, Gray

Dear Santa, has bin good lot yim. I wot a doll. Sincerely, Myla

I wot a HuvBord. Dock Mc Stuffins Cit. I wot Makup. I wot ePross. I wot makup Brushis. I wot a offis. Sincerely, Emmalyn

was the reedr of the munth. wont a hors and a car for Christmas. And a deer target. I want a small rifle. Sincerely, Bo

I hav ben trie to not fite with my bruther. I wood lic fr crismis a lego set, good tol sord. For Christmas, I want Legos Sincerely, Warren

babe dol.

Love, Zoey

Dear Santa,

tigrs and a ring. A drt bike or a

fool wilr or side bie side.

a bogo gon and that is all

Can I have a rile Looovt on.

have dark red lipstick. Can

e coreihons, ma if emoli. My

Christmas wishes are: viofo

lennos four da chrismis.

Love, Xemara Espinoza

Love, Merian

play outside.

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa,

Dear Santa.

a new dert bike.

Love, Jace Mod

toy, and a game.

Love, Emma Grim

want a barble dream house.

want a pupy for cristmus.

flag and Aubrun football.

Love, Grayson Ethridge

a bairbe drem house, robocat

Love, Montanna Marie Mock

Love, Willyam Connor Mathis

Love, Atroyu Morrsin

Love, Liam Jones

New Brockton (con't) Hawkins - First Grade I want a drt bike. I want a hors. I want a motrbike, I want a Sincerely, Kysen

I wund a tablet and JoJo woch I wot a drone and a re cru and and a mackup and a jumplen and a JoJo gitar and a pers and a JoJo Balinsben and a chlos and a hi hils and a JoJo Sincerely, Ansley

Dear Santa, I love you to Santa. I want a pagwin and a pupe and a cicin Love, Brooklyn Sincerely, Chloe

Dear Santa I love Satan. I am helfe for things: a loved Christmas, end Sincerely, Saylor

**New Brockton Elementary** Braughton - First Grade Dear Santa.

love the elf named snow-Dear Santa, flakes. I wut lol and I love you. I been good this year and I I wut macup Tidsichgem. From, Analeigh

Dear Santa, I wot for us and rx elf snowflake From, Skylar

Dear Santa. Thank you for the tree. I want Love, Lyla Adkison legos Santa.

From, Wyatt D. Dear Santa, I want a Bairbe dram house Dear Santa, I wunt a lot crim has I wunt a pack and a tablit and a dacker Buddy toy snow floyes. I wont rashan for my room. a klot lolol. Love, Alexa Calixtro

From, Aaliyah I love you. I wunt pokemn. I 11 pro. I want a barbie doll. I wunt a bimin. I wunt a pokemn dol wit a lyougeo. I wont a mast pokemn dol wif a myoy to 100

From, Wyatt A. Dear Santa, Thake you for the prezists. You are the best ever. Thake you I have bien a verly goo boy this for the elf Snowflake. Can I yir. I wote a among us costom Love, Virginia Morris have sum bruder truks. And a and I wote a Xbox, a Aubrun real fow weler

Bruder truck

From, Hudson Ellis I have bin good. I thank you for I want a rc car for Christmas, my Elf Lucky. I love Christmas. helicopter that I can fliy and Santa, I love you. I want a new gokart For Christmas. And Michael Myrar toy and knife.

Thank you for the elf. I want ini- I want a toy cate, new books, phine PS4 Img nintindo swich BayBlad Brstrise. From, Kason

Dear Santa, I bin good Santa, I bin a big help with my bruthr. I leve snowflakes. I wish that I had a babey aiviv. And I wot a pogo From, MaryGrace

Dear Santa, l love you Santa. Thack you for the preis. We name snowflakes. I want a Baby Alive. I a tabit. I wont a huge cholete. From, Reagan

Dear Santa, Thack you for the Elf. We name him Snowflake. I wot a Hot wil track. And I wot u Hol buch of nerf gun. Pawr Sood. And I wot a Bocky gos. From, Kyran Haynes

Dear Santa, I wot a Tino Swich gam and I wot Tenthas in bulk. I wot a Iphon 11. I bin good Santa. From, Kyron Haynes

Dear Santa, Thace you for the chres. I love you Santa. I wunt for Crismis bruder chrukes and a litl brn and a bowse bol and a 500 doth Lego set. From, Weston

Dear Santa, Thack you for the elf we nam him Snoflack. I wont sum LOLs and omg dols and a ril elf. And a baby dol. And Sum boocs. was good. From, MaKenna

I like your rendeer. You are nese. I like the your hat Buddy. I lke you.

Dear Santa, I love the elf. Santa, I love you. We name him Snowflaces, I wut LOL and Bry. From, Danlei

From, Liam

Dear Santa, I binn good, I love you. I want brbese and thack you for the elf. I want lols and we chodt the elf snoflack. From, Payzlee

Dear Santa, I wont a toys robot. Love, Trenton

I have been very good this Love, Brian Reeves year! I have done these nice things: cled the flor, I tak ker I wanted a itindo swich and a bik, filr go with a cenu ax max cards. and PS5 and a fast rc car ti Love, Marlon cengoof rod. I hope you enjoy the cookes and milk! I want a PS5. I wont 2K18 Love, Levi Dorsey 2K19 2K20, I wont a resling

> I want a PS4 with PS4 games. blay blayd and a puppy. I love Chrimas. Love, Stephen Forehand

toy barbie the drsin Letter Not Signed

**New Brockton Elementary** Can I have red hilles. Can I Beasock - Second Grade Dear Santa have spy ninja merch. I love I wot a LPS. And a PS4 and Dear Santa,

some money \$800. Pleys and year! I have don these nice cool and he is amazging. Pleas chmerow. get me a LPS and a cpoudr. Love, Ciara Guerra

four dacr simes deig, inada so with 1000 cars. Love, Austin

really want a unicorn toy and a Dear Santa, I want for crismis is a happy rainbow notebook and I love to femley and bey blades to and new per uv shoos and noth-Love, Kage

I hope I have ben good this year but wat I want is a rainbo-I now iv been bad but im saying corn, a Slim and a Stuf animal. im sorry but I wunt 54 pokemon cards and 40 pikaha cards and I wunt a carline toy and the two Love, Zulz moms and dads. and notebook and a now back- Love, AJ

I would like a babby fox suffd. And I would like LOLs and a babby kitten and real babby I love you and I want a iphone kitten oh Santa how is things at the norf pole. I hope you delifr all the toys to the nice kids.

> I wuld like a club hose sume head phons with a unicorn horn a pire of shoes with wings and yoni con LOL. And a hachamal, stage a bow mickeing kit.

I will like a PS5, a iphon 11, I want \$1.00 and I want to stay with tintinuo. Letter Not Signed

How are you doing this year? LPS pets around the world the LPS comic-con cat! And most of all... a LPS great dane! Please a baby puppy. And LOLs.

Dear Santa. Dear Santa, I want armackin cholcan, a I want a lphone 11 pro max. I baskitboll gol. I have bin good want a drit bike. I want a PS5. thes yir. I have bin good in From, Gabriel

Dear Santa.

Pokeymon cards please and a Amung us plushey and a big Love. Gabe

Dear Santa, How do you do? Is eneing I woot a token wot mermeen new? How I will tell you wut I wunt for cristmas. LPS Pets around the world please! LPS please. LOLs please! A baby kittn rell! Bunny rell! Love, Zoey

I would like a chuputr. I would pleys a dog rock walad. Sand like a tablit. I would like air Dear Santa, and a dog toy for my dog. And pods. I would like a frory. I have been very good this a lol doll and I love Santa. He is would like a lambrgeyney. A Love, Brently

> Dear Santa, I would have a transformers I would like a iphone 11 and a and transformers dound but lego set and a car set and a set I went BWA BWA and a fone and transformers bees and a Love, Tanner

> > Wat is I want for Kresmus dog for dog tak I hop anvivn

Wut I wot is toy putrd en a Dear Santa, Jayuw a crod 20 toy a box uv I want a pair of shoes and a a piu tur toy on a untoy a fak

**New Brockton Elementary** Wilhelm - Third Grade

I want a new cote and new boxes and a new helmet for my bick and a cumputer and one of santa's randeers. From, Avery Gracewood

Dear Santa. Thank for all the thing you have gave me and I want intend of peple, and I play with geglf. Can you giv me a 18 bey swich play stashun 4 and its My Christmas wishes are; drt blades. And 66 Pokemon cuntrler. And diska for the play-stashun Can you giv me a 18 bey swich play stashun 4 and its Can I have a nerf gun sniper. From, Gerardo Hernandez

> Dear Santa, I would like a Big Pake of I wish for one my life dool. One my life pet. Some my life dool close and my life dool food. I do not ask for much. I love Cristmas. From, Alex Murphy

> > Dear Santa, I want a tedbead and I want a tedbead with a heart and I want a big tedbear and I want a little tedbear and I want a small tedbear and I want a LOL doll. From, Yoselin Deyen Rosales

I wont to no how do you git your elfs here? I wont to on how do you fly here? I wont to no how long is it to git to the north pole? From, Makenzie Carpenter

Dear Santa What is it like at the north pole? Dear Santa, Can you send me a letter this I want a Nitedo swich, a new Chrismis? Also can you get me a gaming comperter. If you can From, Brian Gregory thank you. From, Kyran Moore

I been wodig are goucile belus I saw you. Win I was 3 and can you give bage aleum. From. Justin

santa hat and a pair of skates. l also want a sa miss claus suit. From, Treasure Richardson

For Christmas the first thing I want under my Christmas tree is a schliechlake house it looks really fun! The next thing I want for Christmas is a cart harness for my pony Sugarman,

last thing I want is new bike. because my bike that I have now is too small when I ride

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it my knees almost touch the handle bars! From, Addie Grace Beasock

Dear Santa, Can I have a airsoft gun pistol. Can I have a bb gun. How cold is it in the north pole? What does the raindeer look like? From, JB Bradshaw

Dear Santa, I want a robot cat or snow tiger. I want a kitten. I want a cat toys. From, Sael Strickland

Dear Santa, I want my Mama-C to feel better and I wawnt a PS4 PS5. I want my Dady-O to feel better. From, Marcus Crews

Dear Santa. want a hoverboard. I want new wresling toys. I want new From, Ky. Newson

Dear Santa. What I want a dirt bike and a PS5 and a new bike. From, Carson McNeil

sowrd, and a toy for my sister.

I want Brio trains.

Love, Kayson Lindsey Dear Santa, I hope you had a good day and I want some lego and nas.

From, Timothy Ardis





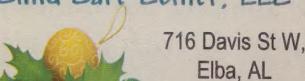
wishes for a fun-filled Christmas!

Here's hoping your season is gifted with all the best blessings, including health, happiness, friendship, love, peace and prosperity.

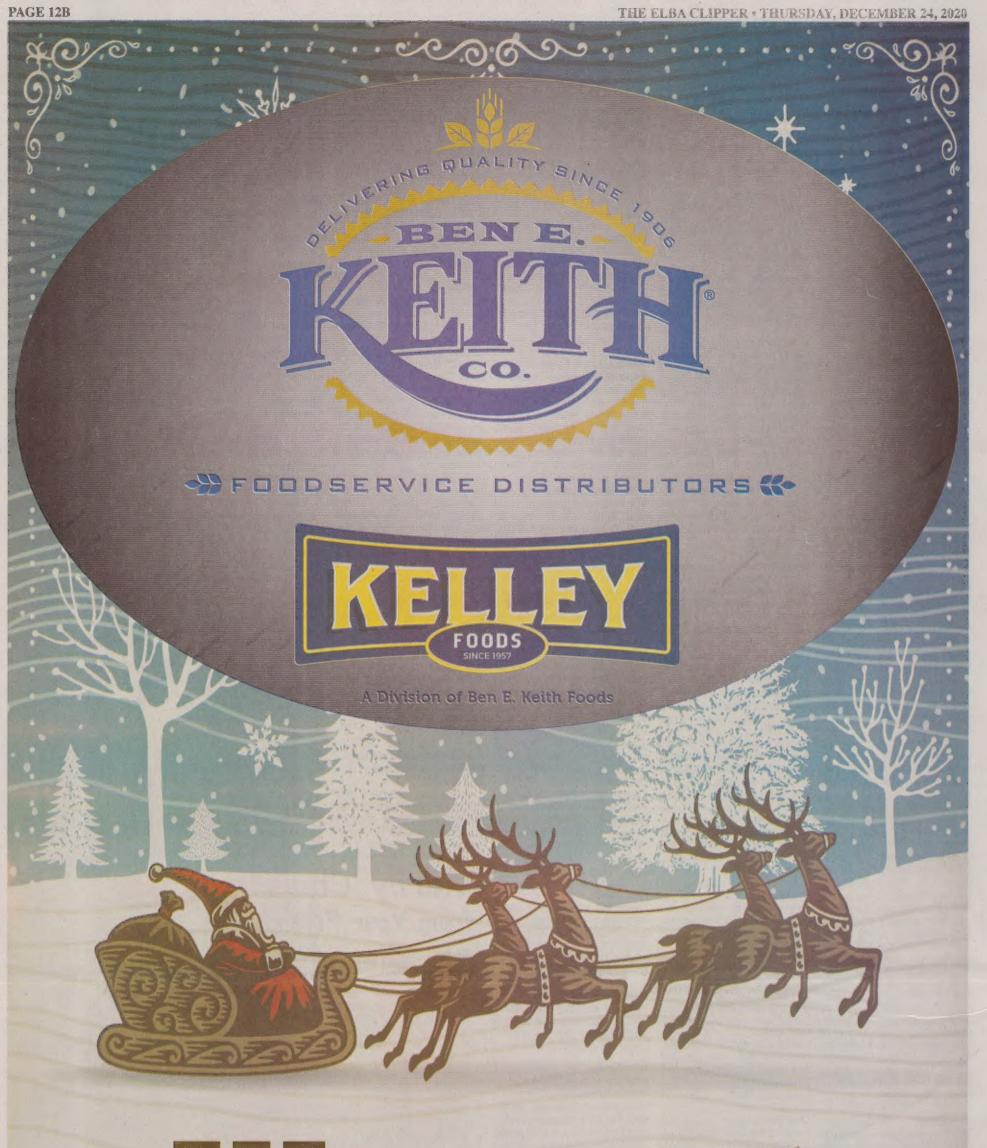
Doing business with folks like you brings us joy all year, and we appreciate your trust in us.



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# Warmest Wishes

at Christmastime

From the sweet sound of carols filling the air, to the lights that twinkle everywhere, may every moment be merry and bright, filled with goodwill, laughter and sheer delight.

We hope the cherished traditions of this special season fill your heart and home with enough warmth and happiness to last all year. Serving you has been our pleasure, and we thank you for making our holiday and our year so enjoyable with your visits.

Merry Christmas, friends!